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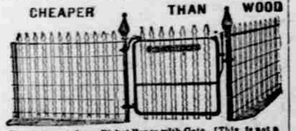

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FIVE BLACK MARKS.

"The most miserable time I ever had in my life," said Dr. Macpherson one day as he sat chatting in his cozy drawing room, "was spent in a gunboat off the coast of Guinea. I began my professional life as a surgeon in the navy, you know."

I did not know. But as the doctor seemed intent on telling the story I did not interrupt him by saying so.

"We had been cruising about in the Mediterranean," he went on, "when we where unexpectedly ordered to the Bay of Lagos to overawe some miserable little tribe near the coast which had not been behaving itself as a properly regulated little tribe under the protection of the British empire ought to do. Kakoga's tribe it was called, and Kakoga came in for a good share of honest abuse from the officers and men of the Dragon-fly, when our orders came. The worst of it was, as far as the officers and men were concerned, that we were not at unity among ourselves. The engineer, called Lashton, had been disappointed in love, and was naturally morose in consequence. What made him more so was the fact that his successful rival was the sub-lieutenant, an awfully nice fellow, and the only man on board that I cared for. Lieut. Gilby had met Miss Callan at Malta, and had become engaged to her without the least idea that the engineer had intentions that way, not that it would have made any difference to him if he had, I suppose. Lashton's unconcealed enmity against him made life on board pretty unpleasant, and divided us into two cliques. The lieutenant's clique, consisting of himself and me, certainly had the liveliest time of it, for the successful suitor of Miss Callan was the merriest fellow on earth, and while we were in the Mediterranean we suffered very little from the engineer's hostility. But directly we steamed off for Lagos a most remarkable change came over my friend, and he turned as taciturn as Lashton himself.

"It puzzled me to discover the reason, for though we were all sorry to leave the Mediterranean still it was not like Gilby to sulk over it. He could not see less of his fiancee than he had been doing for two or three months, and we had the prospect before us of a small fight, for which he had been wishing. Lashton suggested to me in his sinister way that it was the prospect of fighting which caused the change in my friend, and though I answered the suggestion in the tone it deserved, still it seemed the only explanation.

"Gilby said, when I asked him, that it was the weather, and the irritation with which he answered prevented me continuing my inquiries, and made me more than ever convinced that it was 'funk,' and a very severe form of the disease, too. In fact, he took very little pains to conceal it.

"'I hope to goodness that I shall not have to go on shore,' he said, when we had nearly reached our destination. 'I wish the commander would lead the party and leave me here to look after the ship.'

"'It is not likely,' I answered, gruffly, and I was glad that Lashton was not about to overhear him. I answered his next suggestion more gruffly still.

"'I suppose you would not like to certify that I ought to be on the sick list, would you, Macpherson?' he asked me, hesitatingly.

"I refused flatly.

"If he had told me the true reason of his fear I might have acted differently, for he looked ill enough, poor fellow! His face had grown quite white and wan since we started.

"It looked whiter still next day when he had to go in command of the landing party, which I accompanied, of course.

"When we were fairly embarked on the enterprise, his one idea seemed to be to get it over with all possible speed, and the haste with which he advanced to Kakoga's country would have been impossible if the men under him had not themselves been so anxious to get into action, and introduce a little change into the monotony of life on a gunboat.

"However, the change was less than the majority of the blue-jackets hoped for, the miserable little tribe did not show fight, and our business was soon accomplished. In five days from the time we left the Dragon-fly we were back again, none the worse for our trip, except that we were all worn out by Gilby's forced marches.

"The lieutenant seemed more exhausted than any of us, and as soon as he had received the congratulations of the commander, he retired at once to his berth. What surprised me was that his spirits did not show any improvement after the chance of fighting was at an end. It seemed to me as if he were still expecting some calamity to happen to him, and I began to wonder whether there might not be something seriously wrong with his health to account for all that had surprised me in his manner. This explanation, which had not occurred to me while there was any real danger, struck me forcibly, now that we were safe on the gunboat, and, as soon as I had enjoyed the luxury of a bath after my five days of discomfort, I strolled down to the lieutenant's cabin to have a look at him in the new light of a patient.

"The door of my friend's cabin was ajar as I approached it, and when I glanced into the room before knocking, I was surprised to catch sight of Engineer Lashton standing by the side of the lieutenant's bunk.

"The fact of Lashton's enmity for my friend was so undisputed that at the sight of his figure in his enemy's cabin I felt quite justified in watching what was going on before making my presence known. Gilby was lying across his bunk, half undressed and apparently fast asleep. The engineer was standing over him with a bottle of some black fluid in his hand. While I watched, he made five small marks with it on the sleeping man's arm. The operation seemed such a mysterious and inexplicable one that I watched him till he put the cork back into the bottle, without moving a step to interfere with the man, but I pounced upon him as he turned to leave the cabin.

"'What on earth have you been doing?' I asked, unceremoniously, and the fellow seemed rather taken back.

"'It is only a practical joke,' he said, with a feeble attempt to smile unconcernedly.

"'Joke or no joke, I demand to see what is in that bottle,' I said, authoritatively, my mind full of mysterious poisons, and the engineer handed it over tamely.

"The bottle contained nothing but ink."

"Ink!" I exclaimed, when the great brain specialist reached this point in his narrative, and Macpherson smiled in the peculiarly quiet way he has when he has perfectly mystified a hearer.

"Yes, ordinary ink," he went on. "The discovery naturally made me feel rather foolish, but not so much as it would have done if I had not been convinced still that his action was in some way a malicious one. What his idea could be, however, it was impossible for me to divine, and I felt so curious about it that I should have roused my friend at once to inquire how five black marks on his arm could possibly affect his happiness, if he had not looked so thoroughly worn out and in need of sleep. As soon as Lashton was gone, I left the cabin at once for fear of disturbing the sleeper, without stopping even to try and remove the ink-stains, a piece of stupidity at which I have not ceased to wonder. You see, it was impossible for me to guess how desperately serious the plot was that the engineer had formed against the man whom he considered his rival. I retired to my own cabin opposite Gilby's, keeping the door open to make sure that Lashton did not return to do more mischief, but I made a poor sentry. I was tired out, like the young lieutenant, through not having had my proper amount of rest for four nights, and I fell asleep still wondering about the five black marks.

"When I woke, I do not know how long after, it was to find Gilby standing in my room, half undressed as I had seen him in his bunk, but with his shirt-sleeve buttoned up over the ink stains on his arm. I was too full of sleep, however, to notice the fact at the time, or even to remember for the moment anything about what I had seen. Sleepy as I was, I could not help noticing the look of complete misery and despair on my friend's face. He was standing at the side of my bunk, holding an envelope, and when I started up, rubbing my eyes, he put it into my hand.

"'I am glad you are awake, Macpherson,' he said, in a strangely constrained tone. 'I want to ask you to do me a favor. Will you give this letter to Miss Callan personally when you see her? I do not want to take the risk of sending it by mail.'

"'But you will see her yourself as soon as I shall,' I said, in surprise at the request, and Gilby did not reply. Instead, he turned and walked out of the cabin, leaving me staring at the letter in my hand and wondering what it meant. I was so stupid with sleep still that it took me two minutes to think of any explanation at all. When I did I was out of my bunk and running across to the opposite cabin in a second. Just in time, too, for Gilby was in the act of locking his door when I burst it open and rushed in without ceremony. The fact that the young lieutenant's revolver and a couple of letters, one of them addressed to me, were lying on the table, served to assure me that my fears were not ungrounded. The first thing I did was to secure the revolver. Then I turned to my friend.

"'What the devil are you going to shoot yourself for?' I demanded, bluntly.

"Gilby made no attempt to deny his intention.

"'I am sorry you have disturbed me, Macpherson,' he said with perfect coolness, 'because it cannot make any difference.'"

"'And the reason?' I asked, with interest, for the doctor had paused to light another cigarette. Macpherson blew a whiff of smoke from his mouth and continued his story.

"I suppose you have never heard of a disease called 'Guinea madness?' he asked, and when I shook my head he went on:

"Neither had I, until Gilby told me about it, although I am a doctor. It is one of those strange diseases that limit themselves luckily to a particular district and is only found among a few tribes along the coast of Guinea. It is generally thought that Europeans cannot take it, but the idea is an erroneous one, or, at any rate, there are exceptions, for Lieut. Gilby's father died of it when my friend was a boy of ten. His father was captain of a trading vessel, and the lieutenant was accompanying him on a voyage when they called at the Guinea coast. He therefore saw his father in all the indescribable agony of the disease, which seems more like hydrophobia than anything else, although it is infectious.

"The sight made a great impression on him, and, since his constitution was quite similar to his father's, he had always suffered from an almost supernatural terror of the Guinea coast. He was quite persuaded that if ever he went ashore there he would catch the disease and die like his father. Lashton it seems, was aware of this monomania of his, for it almost amounted to monomania."

"'And he really had caught the disease?' I asked.

Macpherson smiled. "He thought he had. The first symptom is the appearance of small black marks on the arm or leg."—Pall Mall Budget.

A Volcano in Maine.

Much interesting and conclusive evidence that Knox county, Me., was once the seat of an immense volcano has been discovered by Prof. Bayley, of Colby university. Some of the evidence is in the presence to-day of great sheets of lava stretching over the northern part of Vinalhaven. How long ago the Maine volcano was active has not yet been determined. The subject is being investigated by many geologists from universities outside the state.

London's Wild Dock Dogs.

A tribe of wild dogs exist at the London docks which have a real claim to the title, since they belong to no one and have passed through several generations literally "upon their own hook." The dogs are not destroyed, as they are useful in killing rats, and they feed upon what they can find from the refuse of the ships. One peculiarity of this breed is that they can climb with almost catlike dexterity. The wild dogs of the docks are by no means savage; indeed, they are timid, and seldom show themselves.

GOLD LINING IN RATS.

The Metal Found in Rodents and Savants Take the Tip.

In forming a company for the extraction of gold from the microbes which are supposed to attach themselves to that metal in countless millions mature Frenchmen seem to have stolen an idea from thrifty Yankee boys, says the Chicago Tribune.

I. B. Lake, a representative of the Waltham Watch company in this city, says it is a common practice for the boys in watch and jewelry factories to kill rats and burn their bodies to get the gold from them, and that the amount thus obtained in the course of a year is considerable. In every large plant like that of the Waltham Watch company many oiled rags are used in burnishing watch cases, and in time become strongly impregnated with gold. The boys about the factories are supposed to keep these rags out of reach of the rats, but they don't do so. On the contrary, knowing the keen appetite of the rodents for anything greasy, the boys carelessly leave these rubbing rags lying about where the rats can get at them and eat them. Six months of this kind of diet fills the interior mechanism of the rat with a gold plating he cannot get rid of. It sticks to him closely, and so long as the supply of oily rags holds out the rat sticks to the factory. In order to make sure the voracious rodents will have an inducement to gorge themselves with gold, sharp boys drop butter and fatty meats from their luncheons on the floors and rub them well into the wood by shuffling their feet on it. At night the rats come out and nibble the flooring. They don't care for the gold in it, but the grease attracts them, and in getting at the grease they take a dressing of gold with it.

Twice a year the boys have a grand round-up. Rats are caught by the hundreds and after being killed are put into a crucible and burned. The intense heat drives off all animal substances, leaving the gold in the shape of a button. The amount collected in this way depends upon the number of rats the boys can catch. It is hardly large enough to attract an investment of capital, but it gives the ingenious youngsters considerable pocket money, and encourages business tactics. In some factories there are young Napoleons, who buy up in advance the shares of their fellow-workers in the rat colony. A scarcity of rats will depress the price of futures, while an overplus will advance it. Sharpers who understand these conditions are accused of having at times caused an artificial scarcity or oversupply, as it might be to their interest to bull or bear the market.

The French discoverers are a little behind the times with their microbe scheme.

NEW PARISIAN VICE.

The Inhaling of Naphtha Vapor Said to Be Better Than Hasheesh.

Petroleum enters into the manufacture of not less than two hundred articles of universal benefit and the oddest use to which it is put is its inhalation in the form of naphtha vapor by Parisian women as a substitute for opium, says an exchange.

In one factory where naphtha is largely used it is by no means an uncommon practice. The naphtha is kept in reservoirs and is drawn off through pipes as it is wanted for use. By accident some of the female operatives made the discovery that the fumes from these reservoirs had a peculiar and pleasant effect upon them, and from this the initiated fell into the habit of going regularly to the valves and inhaling the fumes.

Several girls who were previously slaves to hasheesh have given it up in favor of naphtha because they are easier to take. All that was necessary was to inhale them from the pipes and the work was done. Besides, the latter cost nothing, which was an important item to a girl on small wages.

A languorous and pleasant sensation comes over the indulger, and when she would drop off to sleep very pleasant visions are the result. The sensations resulting from a good pull at the pipes usually last three-quarters of an hour.

In most cases the narcotic influence of the fumes produces sleep which covers half of this time; but, although there is not absolute sleep, the condition closely borders on slumber, and the effect is about the same. The same delightful languor possesses the mind and body, which the deluded victim of this vice persists in believing cannot be otherwise than a good thing for her.

GRAND OAK IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Standing Over a Bed of Phosphate, It Is Likely to Be Cut Down.

What, so far as we can judge from our observations, is the most massive, symmetrical and imposing tree in eastern North America, is a live oak, quercus Virginiana, standing on one side of the entrance to Drayton manor house on Ashley river, near Charleston, S. C. The home of the Drayton family, says Garden and Forest, a handsome red brick Elizabethan mansion, was built while South Carolina was a British colony, and it is said that the site of the house was selected on account of this tree, although, as the live oak grows very rapidly, it is not impossible that it was planted with its mate on the other side of the drive when the house was first built. At the present time the short trunk girths twenty-three feet four inches at the smallest place between the ground and the branches, which spread one hundred and twenty-three feet in one direction and one hundred and nineteen feet in the other. This tree is growing over a bed of phosphate, and the demands of trade will, therefore, probably cause its destruction before its time. More than once we have visited this tree, and each visit has increased our reverence for nature as we stood in the presence of this wonderful expression of her power. No one who has not seen the Drayton oak can form a true idea of the majestic beauty of the live oak, the most beautiful of the fifty species of oaks which grow within the borders of the United States, or of all that nature in a supreme effort at tree growing can produce.

Bullet-Proof Floss Silk.

Japan's small losses in men in the battles with the Chinese were due in part to the accidental use of a bullet-proof material. Owing to the severe cold the Japanese soldiers wore a quantity of floss silk under their clothes; this, when they were hit, was found in many cases to have stopped the bullets.

THE TELEPHONE IDEA.

First Suggested in This Country by the Croaking of Frogs.

Something About Dr. Cushman, the Constructor of the First Transmitter, and the Manner of His Discovery.

It is not common knowledge, except to those familiar with electrical and telephone history, that the first telephone was constructed in Racine, Wis., and that the inventor, Dr. S. D. Cushman, is now a resident of Chicago, says the News, of that city.

His litigation with the Bell Telephone company, extending over a period of ten years and costing one hundred thousand dollars, has been reported from a legal standpoint, but as it is one of Mr. Cushman's principles that personal reminiscences are in bad taste, he has seldom given a formal interview. The venerable inventor, seventy-seven years of age, who built the first telegraph lines in this part of the "far west," pursues his business with more alertness to affairs than the average young man.

In a corner of the room is a large, worn piece of muslin on which is painted in thin colors a representation of a telegraph line stretching away in the distance, connected with a crude instrument, set on two logs, near which is a frog sitting by a stream. This old relic represents the telegraph line of "good cedar posts," which Dr. Cushman constructed west from Racine for the Erie & Michigan Telegraph company in 1851, and the experimental lightning arrester which led to his discovery.

It is a reminder of the days when Dr. Cushman was associated with Prof. Morse in the pioneer days of telegraphy. On his desk is the first telephone transmitter, constructed in 1851, twenty-five years before the Bell patents were taken out. It is a small, square box, with a speaking orifice and containing mechanism on the same principle as that of the modern transmitter.

In 1851 Dr. Cushman undertook the construction of a lightning arrester, his object being to take the lightning that struck the wire and run it into the ground, the instrument being so constructed that it would not interfere with the light current used in telegraphing. This instrument was placed out on the prairie on two logs and in order to know when it had operated a triple magnet with a sheet of thin iron at the poles, similar in construction to a modern "receiver," was placed in the corner of the box. In case the lightning passed through the instrument the electro-magnet would pull this strip of iron down into the range of a permanent magnet, which would retain it until the instrument was inspected.

A similar device was placed in the basement of the building at Racine and connected with the other end of the line. One day while a thunderstorm was coming up, and Dr. Cushman was watching the instrument, the croaking of frogs was heard, thirteen miles away. This is the explanation of how the old painting with the crude instrument and the croaking frog is identified with the discovery of the telephone.

Dr. Cushman is the inventor of the fire-alarm system in use in Chicago. His patent-office reports, he says, "would weigh a ton," and contain a great number of his electrical patents. To the priority of Dr. Cushman there is said to be no doubt, and the contest of the validity of the Bell patents began in 1855 was at last taken to the United States district court of Boston in 1893, where it is now pending.

Dr. Cushman is a descendant of the historical Cushmans who came to Virginia in 1640. He was a friend of Horace Greeley and most of his prominent contemporaries in what might be called the era of rapid mechanical development. In early life he was a newspaper reporter. Some twenty years of his life was spent in central Ohio, and he says: "I never doubted that God made that country."

Terrible Torture in Morocco.

A charge has been laid at Mulai Omar's door—that of having ordered the music of the drums and fifes to cease on the occasion of the announcement of Mulai Abdul-Aziz's succession to the throne. On the players refusing, his highness sent a slave, who enforced silence by splitting up the drums with a dagger. For this act of treason he was afterwards punished by having the flesh of his hand sliced, the wound filled with salt, and the whole hand sewn up in leather. It is a common belief that this punishment causes mortification to set in and that the hand decomposes; but such is not the case, for by the time the leather wears off the wound is healed, the result being that the hand is rendered useless and remains closed forever. It is a punishment not often in use, but is sometimes done in cases of murder or constant theft, as, without in any way injuring the health of the man, it prevents his committing the crime a second time, or for the hundredth time, as the case may be. It is a punishment that cannot be applied except by the sultan's orders.

Woman's Work.

Women were the first shoemakers. They made beautiful shoes with soles of rawhide and uppers of dressed skin. Prof. Mason says that the women who invented the moccasin should have a statue by the side of Watt. The Eskimo woman is a bootmaker. She carries a part of her equipment of tools in her mouth, using her teeth to help various processes. The reticule, tobacco bag, traveling case, handbox and packing trunk all exist among the savages, and in North America are made by women, chiefly from the pelts of animals. For the first two the skins of rodents and "such small deer" suffice. There is a beautiful war bonnet of eagle feathers in the National museum, all the work on which was done with a sewing-machine by the daughter of a chief, who had been educated in the Carlisle school.

Growth of a Lion.

When a young lion reaches the age of two years he is able to strangle or pull down a horse or an ox, and so he continues to grow and increase in strength till he reaches his eighth year, when he grows no more. For twenty years after his fangs and talons show no signs of decay, but after that he gradually becomes feeble, and his teeth fail him.

SILK FROM WOOD PULP.

A New Industry to Be Started in This Country.

Reference has already been made to the method of making silk from wood pulp, the discovery of Dr. Lehner, of Switzerland. Companies have been recently formed in England and Montreal and factories will be erected to manufacture the silk, says the New York World.

In the process of manufacturing the new fabric the principal ingredients used are spruce wood pulp, cotton or jute waste, etc., combined with a large quantity of alcohol. The use of the substantial or solid materials mentioned creates a market for what was hitherto of no use whatever, being burned in factory furnaces to get it out of the way.

Spruce sawdust now has a market value, for this, as well as the other materials, are digested by a chemical process, in which alcohol plays an important part. The material thus digested is so much like the cocoon spun by the silkworm that when the two are placed side by side in a finished state it takes an expert to determine which is which.

The artificial material at one state is a liquid, and of a density about equal to the ordinary sirup of commerce. When in this state a machine of Dr. Lehner's invention, which may be called an artificial silkworm, comes into play. This machine, which is very simple in construction, requiring so little attention that it can be kept at work with about as much labor as is devoted to a twenty-four-hour clock, performs exactly the same mechanical work that a silkworm does. It draws from the liquid a continuous, unbroken thread of even diameter and unlimited length. As this thread is spun, another portion of the machine takes it up and twists it into any desired thickness of yarn with perfect regularity.

Thus the fabric can be made of any desired weight or thickness, so that it will be seasonable at all times.

This artificial silk has been spun in Bradford, England, and worked up into a large variety of fabrics. In the dyeing, weaving and finishing of these no special treatment has been found necessary. It has been dyed in all imaginable shades and colors and, owing to the peculiar qualities of the material, it takes a dye more readily and gives a more brilliant effect than the natural article. In texture it is equal to the best of Chinese and Indian silks, being soft and silken to the touch. It is expected that it will be used largely in combination with natural silk and cotton for producing brocaded effects. These latter have been so expensive lately as to be out of reach of all but the fattest purses. The invention will greatly reduce the cost.

FORTUNES EASILY MADE.

Some Men Acquire Riches Without Any Serious Struggle.

The three principal matters which have all to do with the increase of wealth in society as at present constituted are the natural bounties upon which man constantly exercises his faculties, and everything which enables him to use them to better advantage; the means of transporting the products of his labor to all parts of the earth with ease and cheapness, and the medium which facilitates exchange of commodities between men — money. The study of these three principal sources of wealth to a community will reveal two facts—that the people have been as indifferent to them as the money-makers have been attentive; and that while the indifference of the one accounts for their ever-diminishing wages, the attention of the other accounts for their immense fortunes.

It is from the natural bounties that all the wealth of any community springs, writes Edward McGlynn, D. D., in Donahoe's Magazine. The land and its resources, the forest and its riches, the rivers, seas and oceans with their teeming life are the first and only sources of real wealth, and upon them depend the artificial values which society gives to the beginning of all social wealth. He is the unit of value. It is his exertion which creates all values, and the object of his exertions is the support of his own life, the accomplishment of his own destiny, here and hereafter, as his Creator ordained. The natural bounties must always, therefore, be open to him in every society, no matter how complex its organization. The necessity implies a right—the right of getting at the natural bounties with ease and without serious hindrance; the right of using these bounties without tax to any power save society, directly or to its agents. Now, at this point we get our first glimpse of the manner in which enormous fortunes are made.

We take possession of these natural bounties, to monopolize them under cover of law and custom, and to make all men who would use them pay beforehand for the privilege, have been the aim of the money-makers since time began; by getting hold of the natural bounties, which really belong to the community, and should never leave its jurisdiction except in the most prudent fashion, and then only to revert regularly to the same community, the builders of great fortunes have been able to enrich themselves at pleasure without any labor worthy of the immense prizes they win.

USE OF OLIVE OIL.

In Ancient Times It Was Employed in Various Ways.

It is a curious and interesting fact that those fruits which in time past came to us from over the ocean, bathed in the atmosphere of the enchanting orient, are now acclimated upon the western coast of our own country. Of these one of the most noteworthy and picturesque is the olive. To all appearances one orange tree is precisely like its neighbor. But not so with the olive. No two are alike. Slow of growth, indescribably tortured and wrung by the elements, clinging to life with intense persistence, it wrests from earth and air that rich oil that fills a place subordinate to no other material.

In the days of old it was used for sacrificial libations, as well as for anointing the person and hair; for food and as a vehicle for preparing other foods. In the days of Roman splendor olive oil was used much as we use butter. Like the Greeks the Romans believed that the frequent anointing of the body was favorable to vigor and suppleness. With both nations it was an indispensable adjunct to the bath. Olive oil ranked next to breadstuffs in value as an agricultural production.

HE REMEMBERED.

But His Prospective Hostess Got Back at Him Just the Same.

Washington society has been described in so many different ways that people in general have no definitely correct idea of it; but that there are many bright people there is abundantly proved in a little book called "The Show in Washington," in which the following story is given:

Mavroyeni Bey, the young Turkish minister, aspires to be a society leader. A young hostess was issuing verbal invitations to her friends for an informal five-o'clock tea.

The minister, overhearing her, smilingly begged that he might be included in the list, and at the same time called out to his secretary, who entered the room: "Monsieur Effendi, mademoiselle has asked me to tea with her at five o'clock to-morrow. Remember the engagement for me."

The following day the party met early in the afternoon at the white house, and, upon seeing his hostess-to-be, he crossed the room, saying:

"Is it not this afternoon at five that I am to have the pleasure of taking tea with you?"

"I do not remember," was the response of the young lady. "Ask your secretary."

WOMEN'S POSTSCRIPTS.

Reasons Why They Are So Prone to Write Them.

"Why women write postscripts" is a problem that has been engaging the attention of one of the London woman's weeklies. The answers betray that the sex understands itself, and does not mind exposing its amiable weaknesses. All are from women who ascribe, among others, these reasons: "Because they seek to rectify want of thought by an afterthought;" "Because they are fond of having a last word;" "Because they write before they think, and think after they have written." Our correspondent puts down the feminine P. S. to the same cause "which leads women to prolonged leave-taking in omnibuses, namely," and rather profoundly it appears to the casual observer, "that they lack organization of thought." Another woman comes to the defense of her sisters with the suggestion "that when women have anything special to communicate they know that their P. S. is equivalent to N. B.," and yet another friendly soul turns a neat compliment in her reason: "Probably because woman herself is the embodiment of the P. S. in the scale of creation, she—the indispensable—was added last."

BICYCLES ARE UNROMANTIC.

Love Making Is Out of the Question When Riding on a Wheel.

If the virtuous lady who fears that bicycling is demoralizing to young couples knew how hard it is to converse even with one's companion on a bicycle, to say nothing of gazing into his eyes, and if she were aware that one squeeze of the hand might result in a dangerous somersault over a rearing bicycle, and that only experts can ride near enough together to be very confidential, and then only when both wheels are geared exactly alike, and that the attention of both tete-a-teters is even then concentrated on keeping pedals from clashing, she would realize that a bicycle trip discounts walking, driving, horseback riding, or even sitting in a room, for difficulties in the way of spooning. The only way to indulge in a desperate flirtation when bicyling, says the Philadelphia Times, is to get off your wheel, and even a lady of great religious ferocity, combined with suspicious intelligence, does not have to be told that it is not necessary to buy a bicycle nor, indeed, hire one for the sake of sitting on a bench by the lake with a loved one or wandering through secluded paths of the park. It is a great deal easier to flirt at tennis or badminton or golf or croquet. And far easier to keep one's temper.

ENTHUSIASM OVERCAME HIM.

And He Gave Away His Employer's Secret as a Result.

A few years ago a prominent oil producer of Pittsburgh was putting down a well in a territory that had never been tested for oil. He was keeping the fact a profound secret, says the San Francisco Argonaut, in order that in case he got a good well he might without difficulty secure all the leases he desired in the vicinity. He was on the ground himself, watching with great interest the indications. Everything pointed to success. Two days before the well was expected to "come in" he was called home. Anxious about the result, he arranged with his contractor to telegraph him as soon as the drill reached the sand. He knew, however, that secrets will sometimes leak out of a telegraph office and so he told the driller that the sentence: "Pine trees grow tall," would mean that he had struck oil. The driller promised to do as he was ordered. The mingled satisfaction and vexation of the producer may be imagined when two days later he received the following telegram: "Pine trees grow tall. She's squirting clean over the derrick." His hope that he should have no competitors for leases was disappointed

Very Tender-Hearted.

Mlle. Augustine Brohan, the celebrated French comedienne, who was so humane to all animals, one day at table found a fly caught on her plate. She took it up tenderly with her thumb and finger and called her maid. "Marie," she said, "take this fly—be careful, now, don't hurt him!—and put him outdoors." The girl took the fly and went away, but presently Mlle. Brohan saw her standing near with a troubled expression on her face. "Well, Marie," she said, "did you do as I told you?" "No, mademoiselle, I've got the fly still; I couldn't venture to put him outdoors—it was raining, and he might have taken cold."

Fewer Lawyers in France.

There will soon be a great reduction in the number of lawyers in France. By a recent law each one must take out a yearly license, for which he pays an amount equal to about twelve per cent. of his house rent. Many persons admitted to the bar who are not in active practice have asked to have their names taken off the roll, among them M. Faillieres, formerly prime minister and minister of justice, and Senator Berenger, author of the law remitting the penalty for first offenses and also noted for his efforts to improve French morality.

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DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
BENJAMIN F. MYERS, of Harrisburg.
For Judges of Superior Court,
HARMON YERKES, of Bucks county.
PETER P. SMITH, Lackawanna county.
J. S. MOOREHEAD, of Westmoreland county.
C. H. NOYES, of Warren county.
OLIVER P. BECHTEL, of Schuylkill county.
CHRISTOPHER MAGEE, of Allegheny county.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For Prothonotary,
WILLIAM O'BRIEN, of Johnstown.
For Register and Recorder,
D. A. McGOUGH, of Ebensburg.
For District Attorney,
JAMES M. WALTERS, of Johnstown.
For Poor Director,
JOHN O'HARA, of Munster township.
For Coroner,
DR. WILLIAM RAUCH, of Johnstown.
For Surveyor,
S. W. MILLER, of Johnstown.

IN Mexico a law imposes the penalty of death upon any one convicted of wrecking railroad trains. A boy who placed stones twice upon the track of the Hidalgo railroad, the second time wrecking the train, was shot as prescribed by the new law, last week.

THE Leather Trust, which controls four-fifth of the tanneries in the country and has a capital stock of $120,000,000, has so increased the price of leather within a year that shoes have also gone up at last. Within 16 months the prices of glazed kid have risen 15 to 30 per cent., according to its grade, and cowhide and sole leather have gone up 100 per cent. Shoes have consequent-been advanced by manufacturers from 10 to 30 cents a pair.

THE postoffice business of the United States is a big factor in the running affairs of the country, both from the government's standpoint and that of the people. It is stated by an authority that the people of the United States use on an average 12,000,000 postage stamps of all kinds each and every day of the year, or a total of about 4,380,000,000 per annum. It is somewhat difficult to grasp the magnitude of the postal business as computed in stamps.

SECRETARY MORTON has not a very high opinion of the business sense displayed in some of the legislation of the last congress, as he has shown by his refusal to spend $168,000 appropriated to buy seeds for free distribution. He this week cited another instance of bad business legislation. Congress authorized a new edition of what is popularly known as the "House Book." These books will cost the government about 60 cents each, and Secretary Morton says the same quantity could have been bought from the dealers in government publications, who buy largely from congressmen, for 40 cents each. Secretary Morton is not alone in thinking such legislation unbusinesslike.

IN the first of the series of best 3 in 5 races, between the British yacht, Valkyrie III, and the Yankee yacht, Defender, Saturday, the American vessel won. The race took place outside of Sandy Hook and was 15 miles and return. It was witnessed by 30,000 persons. The official time was: Defender, 4:50.55; Valkarie III, 5:08. 44. The race is for the American cup and the yacht championship of the world. The second of the races took place on Wednesday and was won by the British yacht as described on our fourth page.

Since the above was in type we learn that the yacht committee sustained the protest made by the Defender and awarded the race to her on account of the foul by the Valkyrie. This gives the American boat two races.

THE Democratic Congressional Committee does not as a rule take any part in strictly state campaigns, but the campaigns in Utah, which will send two U S. Senators and one Representative to congress, has been made an exception and the committee has been aiding the Democrats in every way possible. In view of the vote at the last territorial election, Republican 21,000, Democrats 19,000, and populists 500—neither party had any reason to feel over confident of the result of the present campaign. The only thing absolutely certain about Utah is that its congressional delegation will be solid for silver, and that one of the new senators will be a Gentile and one a Mormon. The congressional delegation will be for silver because it would be impossible for either party to elect any other, and the leaders of both parties have agreed about the senators.

JUDGE EWING, of Fayette county, in the course of his charge to the September grand jury, said: Under the law each township is held responsible for the condition of its roads and upon each devolves the duty of preparing and maintaining the public highways within its borders. Any damages which result from the bad condition of the roads can be collected from the district in which they are received. The supreme court has decided that the act of the legislature says a bicycle is a vehicle and has therefore the same rights as other vehicles. The manner of the propulsion and the number of wheels have nothing to do with it. They are conveyances for traveling and therefore vehicles. The law says the roads shall be put in shape for the passage of all vehicles and and since the bicycle has become a vehicle, under the law, it is required that the roads be put in better condition. Any one who knows anything about the use of bicycles knows they require a better road than the ordinary four-wheeled vehicles. The bicycle, he concluded, has the same right to demand that the roads be put in proper condition for its easy passage over them as the other vehicles which have been in common use for years. If the roads are not in proper condition for the bicycles the wheelmen are entitled to damages for injuries the same as persons injured while traveling in other conveyances.

THE Quay reform "movement," says the Harrisburg *Patriot*, is developing the height of absurdity. There are Republican newspapers that are familiar with the record and the methods of Quay that lay themselves open to suspicion of advocating anything to win or of being directed by gudgeons. Quay inaugurated his reform movement because he needed votes. He was practically whipped the announced his very moral intentions But "when the devil got well the devil a monk was he." Quay cannot abandon practical politics to become a reformer without risking defeat and extinction by a practical politician who of course is not a reformer.

One of the most enthusiastic of the Quay organs, irritated by publication of the truth concerning his campaign of reformation, reprints the principal planks of his high moral platform and then declares that whoever, Democrat, Republican or Mugwump, "lays an obstacle in the way of enforcing the principles which Senator Quay has so emphatically laid down, cannot be a friend of good government." We had been expecting this, and we shall from time to time call attention to the progress of the principles laid down by Senator Quay and now he and his lieutenants support them.

Mr. Quay is now certain that his friends—really Quay—will control the next state delegation to the national convention. It is, in the opinion of Quay the politician, to his interest that he control this delegation, no matter what Quay the reformer may think about it. It may not be exactly in line with reform politics, but it is good macnine politics. Besides, he has been flattered as president maker by leading journals and he proposes making a president if he can. To this end the state delegation is necessary. He means that men friendly to him and who will submit to his dictation shall compose this delegation, and he will use the corrupt power of the machine to create a delegation to his liking.

It is said that if Quay bring out a candidate for United States senator against Cameron the man will be J. Hay Brown. What business has Quay to bring out any man for United States senator or any other office? Why should a reformer slate candidates and elect them? Is it possible, where good government exists, for an individual to control the political affairs of a state and to make presidents and United States senators? Is reform compatible with the one man power?

Quay's principles will never get beyond the platform stage. Already what he said and promised in the agony of expected defeat is distasteful in the serenity of realized victory. It should be the earnest endeavor of every lofty minded citizen of this state to defeat Quay and his principles.

THE Democratic convention at Williamsport on Wednesday, nominated Benjamin F. Myers, of Harrisburg, for state treasurer and the following named six gentlemen for superior judges: Harman Yerkes, Bucks; James S. Moorhead, Westmoreland; Peter P. Smith, Lackawanna; Charles N. Noyes, Warren; Oliver P. Bechtel, Schuylkill, and Christhopher Magee, Allegheny, and adopted the following platform:

First—The Democratic party in state convention assembled hereby renews its allegiance to and declares its faith in the principles of Democracy as formulated by Jefferson and illustrated by Madison, Monroe, Jackson and Cleveland. It congratulates the American people upon the first fruits of the Democratic administration, which inherited from its Republican predecessor a bankrupt treasury, unwise financial legislation, impaired public credit and widespread disaster, and, which under the sagacious, courageous and patriotic leadership of its great president, Grover Cleveland, led the people out of the slough of despond to the high ground and justly merited and received the almost universal approbation of the people of this commonwealth.

Eight—We especially invite the sober consideration of the people of this state to the remarkable factional struggle in the Republican party, a struggle which involved no principle or public policy, but simply the supremacy of factional leaders. The worst arraignment at our hands of Republican misrule falls short of what representative Republican newspapers and leaders testified of each other. The admitted prostitution of the public service, the intervention of corporate influences, the misuse of judicial appointments, and the consequent prostitution of the judiciary, the corrupt use of money in the purchase of delegates, the attempted terrorism at Harrisburg by men of the most abandoned type, fix the high water mark of political debauchery. It but needed to complete its infamy, the transparent hypocricy which led a convention, thus constituted, to adopt "with laughter" resolutions concerning the very methods by which its delegates had been selected.

Such condemnation of "the growing use of money in politics, the corporate control of the legislature, municipal councils, political primaries and elections; the enslavement of public officers and employees; favoritism in granting contracts and to granting of exclusive franchises in public necessities," while valuable as evidencing the truth of the accusations of the Democratic party in the last quarter of a century, yet coming from the very source which is responsible for these evils, constitute the crowning insult to the intelligence of a forbearing and long suffering people.

THE south, equally with the west, will have a really enormus corn crop this year, far in excess of any in its history. According to present prospects it will be from 600,000,000 to 650,000,000 bushels, worth about $300,000,000. Indeed, every crop in the south, with the exception of cotton, will be unprecedently large this year, and, although the cotton crop will be smaller than usual, its money value will be about the average.

Sioux Making Threats.

Chamberlain, S. D., September 8.—The Sioux at Rosebud Agency, under the leadership of Hollow Horn Bear, a powerful and influential chief, have warned Indian Agent Wright and his employees to vacate the agency within twenty-one days. They threaten to burn the agency buildings. A determination on the part of the agency to reduce rates paid Indians for hauling freight from Valentine, Neb., to the agency from fifty to twenty five cents a hundred is the cause.

The Indians took mortal offense and runners sent to distant camps brought to the agency about 3,000 angry and excited Indians. Their wrath was partly appeased by a promise to pay 35 cents per hundred. Crow Dog, the slayer of Spotted Tail, has been lodged in the agency jail for the part he took in the present difficulty.

Fort Niobrara is the nearest military post, but the troops are absent on the regular summer field exercises. Information from Valentine says that setlers adjacent to the reservation are becoming uneasy at the attitude of the Indians.

Factory Girl in Luck.

Binghamton. N. Y., September 8.—For befriending an apparently friendless old man, Miss Jennie Brown, a factory girl of this city, has been made an heiress. William Brown was a resident of Newark, N. J., and recently his wife died, leaving him alone except for three sisters and his distant relative.

He was apparently in indigent circumstances, and was coldly received by the sisters. Jennie, however, pitied the old man's forlorn situation, and did all she could to make life as comfortable as possible for him. The sisters, smiled, but did not object, and when at last the old gentlemen died little interest was shown in the event.

After the funeral, however, an attorney announced that Mr. Brown had left a will. This caused a sensation, as his relatives supposed the had nothing to leave. None was more astonished than Miss Jennie, and her surprise was overwhelming when it was announced that she was the sole heir to $45,000, which Brown had ac umulated without letting anyone know it.

Died Dancing With a Bride.

New York, September 8.—Jacob Estes, of Brooklyn, who sold jewelry through the country on commission, came back from the west a few days ago to attend the wedding of Miss Dora Schwickey and Samel Liebman, which took place on Saturday, at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Schwickey is popular in the Brownsville district, and there were many guests at the reception. The dancing continued until far into midnight.

Young Estes was the master of ceremonies, and at the supper toasted the bride and groom. Early in the morning, while waltzing with the bride, he suddenly turned pale. threw up his hands, fell to the floor and died almost instantly.

In the excitement of the moment three women fainted. The dance was stopped and the guests departed at once. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Kansas Town Wrecked.

Ottawa, Kansas September 9—The town of Gridey, which has 400 inhabitants, in Coffee county, is a wreck. Most of the buildings and all of the stock of goods of every description are utterly ruined. Yesterday a storm of wind and rain burst on the town from the northwest. Twelve inches of water fell in an incredibly short time. This deluge completed the destruction that had not been accomplished by the wind. Strange to say, with all the flying debris, not a person was reported injured.

Among the eighty or ninety buildings which were raised to the ground were the Methodist and Christian churches and the Odd Fellows hall. No one yet can get in from the country on account of the waters.

A Deserter Loses His Life.

Chicago, September 11.—Privates Williams and Coffee, two deserters restrained at Fort Sheridan, twenty miles north of here, attempted to escape this morning while working in the rear of the hospital.

Private Christ, who was on guard duty, detected them and ordered them to halt. They refused and the soldier fired a number of shots at them in quick succession, killing Coffee and wounding Williams. Williams succeeded in escaping, although pursued by a number of soldiers. Coffee's body was taken to the tort. The top of his head had been blown completely off and his death was instantaneous. He was regarded as a rough customer.

A Woman After Her Child.

San Bernardino, Cal., September 9—A woman passed through this city who had crossed the desert on a brake beam. She was discovered three days ago near Dagget by the crew of a freight train. She was dressed as a boy, but as soon as the trainman brought her from under the car they were convinced she was a woman and she finally admitted that she was. She refused to disclose her identity, but said she and her husband had been living in an eastern city and he had deserted her, taking with him their little girl. She heard he was in Oregon, and had placed the little girl in an orphanage, and, being without money, she started out to beat her way.

Both Eyes Destroyed.

Pittsburg, September 11.—Dr. George A. Henderson, a dentist, is at the West Penn hospital in a critical condition, the result of gunshot wounds. Both eyes were destroyed and it is feared that portions of his throat have been penetrated. James A. Carey, of No. 731 Fifth avenue, also received a part of the contents of the gun in his left shoulder. His injuries are not serious. The shooting resulted last evening from the accidental discharge of a gun at a fishing camp near Wellsville, Ohio. Henderson and Carey were brought to Pittsburg last night by T. D. Davis, who is also a member of the club, which is composed of local business and professional men.

Female Crook Arrested.

Moorestown, N. J., September 9.—Chief of Police A. Burr arrested Fanuie Waldron. alias Fanny Spangler, a crook whose fame extends over the United States. She has been residing here several months, and made almost daily trips to Philadelphia. In her house was found a hack full of goods, silverware bearing the private mark of a Chicago hotel, fine china from Pittsburg, table linen, knives and forks in abundance, a gold watch and chain and a quantity of shoes from a dealer on Eighth street, Philadelphia. The woman was committed to Mount Holly for a further hearing.

H ghest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Fire-Entombed Miners.

Houghton, Mich., Sept. 8.—Thirty-five doomed men are entombed in the Osceola copper mines, with no possibility of recovery of their bodies until a fire which has started at noon yesterday is extinguished, which may not be for months.

The fire started on the 37th level, 2,600 feet below the surface. The underground workings are heavily timbered with pine and as the fire spread it generated great quantities of carbonic acid gas, which sank to the lower level, so that death from suffocation is certain to all in the mine.

It is the opinion of some of the oldest officials of the mine that the fire was the work of an incendiary. They say there is no other reason for the fire started in that portion of the mine, as no oil waste or rubbish is used or accumulated there, and the timber work is out of reach of the lamps of the miners' hats.

All the doomed miners might have escaped had they heeded warnings, as Capt. Edwards, who was the first to detect the existence of fire. dispatched messengers to every slope where the miners were working. By going a roundabout way, all the men in the lower level of No. 4 shaft might have escaped, but they preferred the shorter route of assent by that shaft, and when they got up to the 18th level they found themselves cut off. Some passed into lateral drifts, expecting to reach other shafts.

Capt. White descended with Anton Secysk, who said he had left his father on a lower level, but Secysk los his head, and finding him unmanageable Capt. White abandoned him to his fate, pushing forward to the south workings of the mine and reaching the surface in safety—the only one of the party in No 4 shaft to escape. He reported that the trammen had offered to carry one of the drill boys to the surface but the boy was so frightened he refused to move and was left to perish.

Business Men as Firebugs.

Monteal, Sept. 8.—The greatest arson conspiracy that has ever been concoted in America was unearthed here yesterday. Warrants are out for ten of the most prominent merchants in the city, and three of them have already been arrested.

The thing started with the arrest of three men, Jenkins, Moore and Clores. About five weeks ago. these men were arrested for setting fire to the wholesale store of Boyd, Gilles & Co, Boyd, the senior member suddenly left for Europe, and when Clores, after his arrest, turned Queen's evidence, it was found that Boyd was connected with the matter, approved of it and procured part of the receipts which the insurance adjusters awarded as damages.

The evidence showed that there was a widespread conspiracy, which has ramification in the States and all through Canada, It was found that the conspirators were in the habit of setting fire to places by means of a clock-work arrangement. This was made of an alarm clock with the bell taken off. On top was a thin glass bowl of sulphuric acid and below it a bowl containing menthlylated spirits. When the hour came for the clock to strike the alarm the hammer broke the glass bowl, and the sulphuric acid burst into flame, igniting the building.

Express Train Robbed.

Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 8.—Assistant Superintendent G. D. Curtis, of the Adams express company, arrived here at an early hour this morning from Columbus, and is making a thorough investigation of the robbery of the company's safe by its local cashier, J. Don Garden, the city agent of ths Vandalia railroad, J. Robert Barnett, is known to be implicated in the crime, but it has not yet been disclosed if, in addition to his particpation in the express company robbery, he has taken a bunch of California tickets. Barnett was checked up on the 1st instant, and therefore could not have stolen more than $200 or $300 in cash from the Vandalia road.

To-day's disclosures develop the fact that the robbery has been planned for the last three months, and it is ascertained to-night that both Garden and Barnett had packages of money in their possession before leaving town Friday night.

The belief is widespread that Garden, who for many years past, has been a trusted employe of both the government and the express company, would not not have run away with so small a sum as $16,000, or $18,000, the amount conceded by the express company's officials as have been stolen.

Terrible Dynamite Explosion.

Dubuque, Ia., Sept 8.—Five persons were blown to instant death and three injured by an explosion of dynamite at Specht's Ferry, ten miles from this city on the river side, at 7 o'clock this morning. The dead are: Edward Lathshaw, wife and two children and Hans Bjornstad. The injured are: Mabel Lathshaw, aged 15, still unconscious, but may recover; Matt Faber, will die; Ed Bench, eye knocked out.

The government is building wing dams on the opposite side of the river and stone is being quarried there for the purpose. Latshhaw had a large low shanty where the quarrymen are boarded and in one end of he shanty there were stored 150 pounds of dynamite.

After breakfast a son of Latshaws was firing at a target near the entry and was told to stop by the foreman, but he went on and soon the explosion occured, The concussion was felt for miles. The shanty was blown to splinters and the Specht residence and depot were badly damaged. A special train was at once sent from here which brought the injured to the hospitals.

Struck by an Electric Car.

Pittsburg, Sept. 9—Late last night Thomas Gray was hurt, perhaps fatally, and his wife and 7-year old daughter were also seriously injured at High Bridge, near Grafton. Gray and family were returning home from visiting friends in Pittsburg. When nearing High Bridge, and a very dangerous part of the road, their carriage was struck by an electric car on the west track of the line. The carriage was smashed and the occupants were pushed along the rails in front of the car a considerable distance. Mr. Gray's legs and arms were broken and he sustained internal injuries. Mrs. Gray was terribly cut about the head and shoulders. The child's legs were broken and she was terribly cut about the head and face.

NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—Many of the negro colonists from America who went to Liberia have died of fever.

—Chicago telephone girls are prohibited from wearing bicycle bloomers to and from the operating room.

—After hanging herself in the woods at Wilkesbarre, Mary Flislun screamed for help and was rescued.

—Indications point to a general strike in the Connellsville (Pa.) coke region next week or the week after.

—The Defender beat Valkyrie III., in the first yacht race for America's cup, by 8 minutes and 49 seconds.

—Joseph Ford, a wealthy San Francisco merchant, disinherited his wife because she "always ignores his wishes."

—In the pocket of her husband's trousers which Mrs. Jacob Weyning, of Uniontown, O., gave to a tramp, was a roll of $200 in bills.

—At their meeting, in New York, the plug tobacco manufacturers decided to go into the cigarette business and flood the market.

—For attempting a felonious assault upon a white girl at Laurenburg, Va., a negro boy was whipped within an inch of his life.

—Benny McKee, ex-President Harrison's grandson, saved Mrs. Russel B. Harrison's little daughter from drowning at Old Forge, N. Y.

—Being swept over a dam in a boat, in the swollen Oconee river, at Greensboro, Albert Goss, John Armor and Ira Caldwell were drowned.

—James Noonan, a sailor on the steamship Lucania, was killed on her last trip from Liverpool. His arm caught in the shafting and was torn off.

—The electric locomotive of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad went at the rate of sixty-one miles an hour through the Baltimore tunnel, on an up grade.

—The identity of Post Office Robber Allen, who escaped from New York's Ludlow street jail and was captured at Springfield, Mo., has been fully confirmed.

—Joseph Heins was killed and many other persons panic stricken during a furious wind storm that blew down trees in camp meeting, near Ishpeming, Mich.

—Homer, the 3-year-old son of Augustin Stahl, of Somerset, fell backwards in a tub of boiling water on the 4th inst., and was so badly scalded that he died the next day.

—The management of the Cotton States and International exposition deny the report that the opening of the exposition will be postponed. It will open September 18.

—Earnest D. Blint, of Lock Haven, fell from an engine and was almost instantly killed on Saturday morning. He was 24 years of age and had been employed as a brakeman for about two months.

—A man supposed to be Lewis Foster, of Plaingrove, Lawrence county, was struck by the grand army special on the Panhandle, at McDonald, on Sunday night, and instantly killed. He was taken to the morgue.

—The $50,000 damage suit which Bernard Murray, of Colorado, brought against ex-Congressman W. A. Harris, of Topeka, Kas., for alienating the affections of his wife, has been settled by the payment to Murray of $1,000.

—A Duluth, Minn., man was arrested a few days ago, charged with murder. The case was brought before the grand jury, and no indictment being found, he was ordered discharged. But the man misunderstood the messenger who brought him the finding of the grand jury, and he hanged himself.

—Boz Luck has been sentenced in the United States court to hang on Tuesday, October 9, next, for murder of Deputy Marshal Lorce, in the Creek nation, last December. The condemned man was a member of a gang of train robbers and wreckers. Luck is the 151st person sentenced to death by Judge Parker.

—Recent research has shown that if certain acids are added to fresh cream it can be churned at once without waiting for the fermentation or souring produced by the lactic acid bacteria. Hydrochloric acid diluted with twice its bulk of water, and added in small quantities to the cream, gives the best results.

—Work on the Pennsylvania Midland railroad is steadily progressing, says the Bedford *Inquirer*. The track is now laid four miles beyond Imler, and, with favorable weather and if kept supplied with material, the contractor expects to make the connection with the Morrison's Cove road, near Brook's Mill, on or about October 1st.

—Particulars have been received of the killing of Kearn Reagin by Dean Tompkins, just across the Kentucky line near Livingston. Tompkins is United States commissioner of Clinton county, and is said to be a desperate character. A woman named Ellington, young, beautiful and reckless, is said to have been the cause of the shooting.

—While a lot of prisioners were being taken to the court house at Reading on Monday afternoon, Harry Tobias, aged 25, charged with forgery, fell over unconscious. During the excitement that followed Frederick Leighton, who was to have been tried for attempted jail breaking, escaped in the crowd and it is supposed made for the mountains.

—Wilson E. Kramer, until last Saturday manager of the People's Live Stock Insurance company, of Pennsylvania, is missing, and there is a shortage in his accounts variously estimated at from one to several thousand dollars. Kramer went into the employ of the company when he was very young, and for fourteen years has possessed the confidence of the managers.

—Dr. Charles Campbell, of Petersburg, made a narrow escape with his life at the railroad station in Huntingdon on Saturday morning. He was going to the Patriotic Order Sons of America picnic at Newton Hamilton and had a child in his arms. Just as the train was pulling out he undertook to get on the steps of a car in the middle of the train, but lost his footing and fell, throwing him and the child down on the platform. Fortunately neither of them sustained serious injuries, and escaped with a few cuts and bruises.

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...Neil Harkins, of South Fork, was ...n Thursday.

...John Owens is having a hot water ...put in his residence.

...Wallace Myers, of Pittsburg, is vis...ends in Ebensburg.

...ey has been advanced from 6 to 8 ...ert at Johnstown.

...s Elmira Bearer, of Spangler, is ...g friends in Ebensburg.

...ntractor for the jail sewer ex...ll finish up his contract this week.

...Charles C. Anna, of St. Boniface, ...ed to Ebensburg on Thursday.

...Mrs. Ivory, of Clearfield township, ...ed to Ebensburg on Wednes...

...J. C. Slimeman, of South Fork, ...ness for a few hours on Wednes...

...Thomas Sharbaugh, of Carroll...as a visitor to Ebensburg on Wed...

...George Krug, of Cambria town...is a valuable horse by death one ...week.

...Joseph J. Miller, of Barr town...was a visitor to the FREEMAN office ...day.

...new bridle was taken out of the ...E. B. Cresswell, of this place on ...last night.

...a number of Ebensburg people ...Buffalo Bill's wild west show at ...and Altoona.

...John Duman, of Barr township, ...on Monday on a visit to his broth...ers in Nebraska.

...Messrs. Lester Larimer and William ...Esq., of this place, was in Patton ...day of last week.

...ning struck a telegraph pole on ...ed on Tuesday afternoon, knock...one of the cross arms.

...John Harvey, a well-known citi...Barr township, has been danger...the several days past.

...Indiana county fair is in progress ...ek and several Ebensburg people ...e there taking a look at it.

...ting a mule's hoof for shoe...barbed blacksmith found a ten ...nail piece embedded in the hoof.

...Directors Summerville and Hite, ...ended by Stewart Hughes, were ...g on the cold-hot poor at Patton on ...st.

...rotting horse belonging to Mr. ...Zimmerman, of Johnstown, and ...ed $200, died at the Greensburg ...week.

...little four-year-old son of Mr. and ...Frank Pennington, of Patton, died ...Tuesday.

...Jones of Boucher & Good vs. John ...ase, tried in our common pleas ...on Tuesday, resulted in a verdict for ...defendant.

...nuts as large as hickory nuts fell in ...berry on Tuesday afternoon. No ...panied the storm and but little ...was done.

...Judge Harold McClure, of Lewisburg, ...county, is assisting Judge Barker ...disposal of the common pleas cases ...list court this week.

...The annual fair of the Cambria County ...cultural society will be held at Car...on September 24th, 25th, 26th and ...don't forget the dates.

...David Wagner and Joseph Hull, min...while at work in the mines near Pat...were caught by a fall of coal on Mon...and seriously injured.

...On Tuesday the evening train was ...some hours late. The detention was ...on the main line by a wash-out at ...Conemaugh Falls," near Conemaugh.

...The pamphlet laws for 1895 have been ...ed at the prothonotary's office and ...ttorneys and justices of the peace of ...county are requested to call and re...ve same.

...Peter Mutchnik of Munster town...while visiting Buffalo Bill's show at ...on Friday last, had his pocket ...ed of a small sum of money amounting ...and $.00.

...In last week's issue of the FREEMAN ...was made of the death of James ...of Carrol township. It should have ...James Cain, a resident of the same ...ship, and a brother of James Cain.

...Dr. J. R. Deany, of this place, and ...Patterson and Dr. V. A. Murray, ..., attended the meeting of Demo...societies at Lancaster last week. ...Deany and Patterson were elected ...presidents.

...Miss Katharine Leiden died at her ...in Carrol township on Friday, Aug...inst., aged about 40 years. The ...was the daughter of the late Ad...Catharine Leiden and had a num...relatives in that vicinity.

...On Thursday Christ Block, who was ...accused of manslaughter in our oyer and ...court last week, was sentenced to ...a fine of $200, costs of prosecution, ...and undergo an imprisonment in the ...penitentiary for a term of four ...years.

...The barn on the farm of Tobias Johns, ...Carrol township, caught fire from the ...of a threshing machine on Wednes...last week and the barn with all ...crops, farm machinery, wag...harness, etc., were consumed. ...was insurance.

...Messrs. V. S. Barker and wife, John ...Joseph, James M. Thompson, Strang ...and Everett Jones, of this place, ...Philip Jones and Simon Adams, of ...Carrol township, left on Monday for ...ville, Ky., to attend the national en...ment of the G. A. R.

...We have received a number of an...the egg puzzle published in the ...issue of last week and as they all ...in stating the number of eggs at ...we presume they are correct. ...solved the puzzle from an exchange ...there was no answer given.

...The spring house of Jerry Good, near ...Ebensburg, was broken into one night last ...week and about seventy-five cans of fruit ...with all besides a lot of other edibles. ...large rolls of butter were also taken the ...night from Mrs. Susan Turner and ...Mrs. Brooks of the same vicinity.

...Mr. Philip Sandfox, of Munster town...one of Cambria county's most pro...farmers, sent a couple of samples ...products of his raising to the FREEMAN ...a few days ago that are beauties and ...to beat. They are of the "Maggie ...Murphy" and "Household" varieties.

...Some of the young men who are en...in the business of stealing grapes ...other fruit in this vicinity will meet ...a reception one of these nights that ...likely put an end to the business. ...they are old enough to know better and ...should be taught the lesson at any cost.

...George Spencer, a young man who re...only came here from Hastings, was ar...and in Morrellville yesterday (Monday) ...afternoon by Officer Sharp on the charge ...stealing $7 cet, preferred by a young ...man named Reed, of Hastings. He gave ...bail for his appearance at court.—*Johns...Democrat.*

—Lightning struck the steeple of the Presbyterian church at Conemaugh on Tuesday afternoon. The electric current ran down the wall knocking off some plastering and shattering the front doors. The damage will amount to $150.

—A new passenger station has been contracted for at Spangler by the railroad company and the people of that place will soon be enjoying the convenience of a well-adapted and commodious structure built for that purpose. The new building will be 32x60 feet and will be built of brick.

—The Mountain House at Cresson will be closed on and after Saturday, September 14, 1895, and only such trains as are designated on the passenger time table will stop at that point. The daily trip of the observation car between Altoona and Cresson will be discontinued on and after Saturday, September 14.

—A cow belonging to John Dougherty, of near Ashville, fell into an old shaft on Wednesday where D. G. Myers was prospecting for coal. There was about eight feet of water in the shaft at the time. Mr. Dougherty put a rope around the cow's neck and with the assistance of a few other men succeeded in getting it out.

—Congressman Hicks, of the Blair-Cambria-Somerset-Bedford-district, has already begun to hustle for a renomination. He has had two terms, and there will be a loud demand from Bedford county for recognition this time, while it is not improbable that both Cambria and Somerset may have candidates.—*Pittsburg Times.*

—There is said to be buried treasure in the Laurel Hill range of mountains in the Ligonier Valley, and numerous attempt are being made to locate it. Sections of the hills are fairly honeycombed with holes and small tunnels dug by the searchers after the alleged wealth. The stories of minerals and of buried money date mack to Indian days.

—On Wednesday night the house of Mr. James Myers, (watchman) near the station, was entered by thieves and two overcoats, two ladies coats and several other articles taken. Mr. Myers was on duty at the engine house at the time and as there were no men about the house the family, who heard the intruders, were afraid to made any outcry or raise an alarm.

—Frank Ripple, of Stoyestown, Somerset county, was in Johnstown on Friday for the purpose of seeing Buffalo Bill's wild west show. Mr. Ripple imbibed freely of Johnstown liquor, which soon laid him out, and while taking a snooze his pocketbook containing $104 in money and his watch and chain were transferred to some one's hands more wide awade than the owner.

—Joseph Leidy, formerly of this place, is lying in the Altoona hospital in a critical condition from lock jaw. A short time ago while participating in a sham battle at Wopsonock, he was shot in the back with a paper wad, which, while making a painful wound, was not then regarded as serious. The wad was taken out and the wound afterwards became so painful that lock jaw set in.

—A. C. Buck, wife and family, left Monday afternoon for Braddock where he has bought out a hardware store and will start in business at once. His accommodating brother, Joseph, will manage the store in this place for some future time. We are sorry to lose Ambrose as he was one of Gallitzin's most enterprising citizens, but we wish him success in his new undertaking.—*Gallitzin Times.*

—Judge White, of Indiana county, last week issued an order to the three licensed houses in Indinna notifying them to close their bars from Wedyesday noon until Saturday morning during the week of the fair. In some counties this would be regarded as a high handed piece of business on the part of the judge, but anything of that kind goes in Indiana. It may have been for the purpose of giving the drug stores a benefit.

—The worst hail and electric storm for years visited Johnstown and vicinity on Tuesday afternoon. Great damage was done to hillside farms, where the heavy rains washed out potato crops. In several parts of the city potatoes were floating along the gutters. Grapes were seriously damaged. Lightning probably fatally injured Miss Maggie Barry, a school teacher. The Memorial hospital was slightly damaged by lightning.

—A slick-tongued fakir and his female partner, who reaped a harvest at Greensburg Saturday night by working a flim-flam game in connection with the sale of a patent medicine, were given an egg reception at Latrobe Monday evening. About ten dozen eggs, most of them old enough to walk, were gratuitously presented in a way that could not be misunderstood, and the business at that place was brought to a sudden termination.

—A distressing accident occurred in Jenner township, Somerset county, Friday afternoon by which Annie, the 10-year-old daughter of Moses Saylor lost her life. Her cousin, Martin Saylor, also aged 10, was returning a rifle which his father had borrowed and while on the road met his little cousin. He proceeded to show the little girl how the rifle worked and the usual occurrence followed, which ended in the little girl receiving a ball in her spinal cord, from which she died instantly.

—On Friday of last week Mr. Hamilton White, of McPherron, Clearfield county, went to Walters' grist mill, in White township, this county, and on his return home complained of cramp. He hunted all the home remedies and applied them but received no relief and while a member of his family was started to hunt a physician, Mr. White, whose sufferings were intense, ran out in the yard and threw himself on the ground under an apple tree and died before the physician's arrival. His remains were interred at Westover on Sunday morning.

—James Haggerty, a young man aged 23 years, employed by Contractors Collins & Martin at Kittanning Point, was caught between two cars and severely squeezed on Wednesday. Mr. Haggerty was standing near the side of a car at the time, when two other cars, being shifted down on a neighboring track, left the rails and collided with the car beside which he was standing. The unfortunate man was caught about the hips and badly squeezed, although no bones were broken. He was taken to Altoona and admitted to the hospital for treatment.

—Early Monday morning Daniel Fiester, of Sallansburg, was preparing to go hunting, and having loaded his shot gun, started out of the room. As he did so the trigger of the gun caught in one of the straps of his rubber boots and discharged the weapon. Miss Nancy Harper, daughter of Robert Harper, of Newberry, who is visiting Mrs. Fiester, was sleeping in the room directly above where the gun was fired, and the shot penetrated the ceiling, floor and mattress of the bed and took effect in Miss Harper's right limb, inflicting a painful wound.— *Williamsport Gazette.*

—On Thursday afternoon of last week W. D. Gerber, the painter, while excavating in the cellar at E. B. Gerber & Bros. paint shop, 407 Somerset street, Fifth ward Johnstown, unearthed the remains of a woman who doubtless was drowned in the great flood of May 31, 1889. The victim wore a black jersey, with black glass buttons and a black cashmere skirt. Her hair was black tinged with gray. A portion of a black wig was found. She were a pair of congress gaiters and black stockings. None of the teeth of the lower jaw were missing, but several in the upper jaw were gone.

—Dr. J. B. Keaggy, sole legatee of Dr. H. G. Lomison's estate, paid to Register John R. Ousler on Thursday the enormous sum of $14,290.37, being the the amount of collateral inheritance tax due the state, less $732 deducted for payment within 99 days. The assessed valuation of Dr. Lomison's, now Dr. Keaggy's, real estate in Westmoreland county aggregated $300,850 and the 5 per cent. tax due the state was $15,042.37. This is the largest amount ever assessed on any individual estate in Westmoreland county. The personal property has not yet been assessed.—*Greensburg Democrat.*

—The pension allowed the widow of a soldier ceases under the law when she marries again. If she has any children by her first marriage she may continue to draw a pensionas guardian of her children after her marriage, but in such an event she must surrender her widow's certificate and be appointed guardian of her children. The pension drawn as gardian ceases when the child reaches the age of sixteen years. If the widow continues to draw her pension as a widow after remarriage she may be proceeded against civilly for the recovery of the money overdrawn, if she has property, and may also be prosecuted criminally.

—About half-past 4 o'clock on Friday afternoon, Mary, the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Oversby, of Dunlo, was horribly and perhaps fatally burned. At the time indicated the child went into a stable at its home and, climbing into a box containing hay, straw, etc., with matches set the stuff on fire. In a moment the child was enveloped in flames and before assistance arrived was terribly burned about the head, face and arms, especially the eyes. On Saturday the little sufferer's condition was critical, but afterwards she rallied and the attending physician, Dr. J. M. Laird, had hopes of her recovery, although it is feared that her eyesight has been permanently destroyed.

—The *Gosling* has some notion of branding the FREEMAN as a liar. We await the event with some curiosity and with as much composure as the magnitude of the event will allow. We know (sworn to) that W. R. Thompson is the responsible editor —responsible for the correctness of the announcements of any births, the sex, weight, etc., of any child born inside of the borough limits; we know that "Boo" is the heavy editor, authority on tariff, printing ballots, and anything that may happen in the Commissioners' office after 1897—but the branding editor is new to us. Whether it is a promotion of "tax receipts" or "fauntleroy" from the regular staff or a new importation we do not know. Trot the branding editor out.

Court Proceedings.

In addition to the cases reported in last week's FREEMAN, the following were disposed of:

Commonwealth vs. George Ruth, defrauding a boardinghouse keeper. Jury find defendant not guilty and that the prosecutor, Mike Lowfski pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. James McDermott, preventing a witness from testifying. Jury find defendant not guilty and the county pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs Henry Litzinger, 1st count larceny, 2nd count receiving stolen goods. Jury find defendant guilty on 2nd count.

Commonwealth vs. Charles Cuthbert, Nicholas Flinn, Woodring Crimsey, nuisance. Jury find defendants not guilty and the county pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. John Murray, assault and battery. Defendant plead guilty and was sentenced to pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. same, malicious mischief, defendant plead guilty and was sentenced to pay the costs and 10 days in jail.

Commonwealth vs. Samuel McAdams, false pretense. Jury find defendant not guilty and the prosecutor, J. O. Woodring, to pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. J. B. Mullen, false pretense. Jury find the jury not guilty but that he pay the costs.

Commonwealth vs. George Goerling, felonious assault. Jury find defendant not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Jacob Grofadus, alias Cavandish, felonious assault. Jury find defendant not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. John Stitz, fraudulent conveyance. *Not pros* entered on payment of costs by prosecutor.

Commonwealth vs. John Stitz, fraudulent collusion of debtor. *Not pros* entered on payment of costs by prosecutor.

Commonwealth vs. Blair Mackell and Augeline Mackell, assault and battery. Jury find the defendants not guilty and that Stephen James, the prosecutor, pay one-half and the defendants the other half.

Commonwealth vs. John F. Dowling, assault and battery. Jury find defendant guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of $10, costs of prosecution and 30 days in county jail.

SECOND WEEK.

Court met on Monday at 10 o'clock with Judge Barker on the bench.

The following cases on the list were settled:

Mary Stiffler vs. Farmers' Supply company; Charles X. Miller vs. Jacob Crownauer; James P. Miller vs. Dr. F. T. Overdorff; Susanna Porch vs. Jacob Porch; J. A. Shoemaker, administrator, vs. Tri-County Agricultural Society, and Braddock National Bank vs. John L. Gill.

These cases were continued: Daniel King vs. Henry Wissinger; Cresson & Clearfield Coal & Coke campany vs. E. D. Stiles et al.; John H. Fox vs. Henry Fox et al.; Anton Davis vs. A. B. Krebbs; George Kreuger vs. Patrick Boyle; D. E. Notley vs. Milton Westover; Maggie L. McGarry vs. George W. McGarry, Sr.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, Sept. 12, 1895:

A. C. Aurandt, Conemaugh, and Emma Studt, Lilly.

Albert F. Brookbank and Margaret L. Beech, Summerhill township.

Norris W. Bennet, Spangler, and Elizabeth Murray, Mountaindale.

Christ Onsted and Anna May Ross, Stonycreek township.

Alfred Schofield and Ethelette Mysel, South Fork.

Joseph Piatak and Mary Dipko, Cresson.

Frank J. McMullen and Katie M. Robinson, Johnstown.

John W. Hardy, South Fork, and Delia M. Frazer, Summerhill.

John Wass, Jr., and Julia Rushnack, Johnstown.

Charles Pugh and Maggie Burkhart, Amsbry.

Josiah Manges, Bedford county, Pa., and Mary E. Kiper, Dale.

James T. Agan, Penn Yan, N. Y., and Lizzie M. Litzinger, Loretto.

William Dunn and Ella Flemming, Johnstown.

Gust Burgeson and Etta Simpson, Patton.

William S. Glitsch, Newcastle, Pa., and Ellen E. Walker, Dale.

Boom at Hollidaysburg.

A boom in Blair county limestone industries started on Tuesday. Two companies began operations on double turn. Six other companies will also give their employes increased work. Upward of 1,200 men are employed in the quarries. The limestone boom is due to the building of the large Carnegie furnace at Pittsburg and the activity in the Bessemer iron business.

The manager of the Hollidaysburg iron works gave an announcement on Tuesday of early resumption in the nail department. This department, idle since 1887, will be run to its full capacity.

Real Estate Transfers.

Mary Ankenbaur et vir to Jacob Hallaher, Gallitzin, consideration, $45.

Ann Bickford et vir to Joseph W. Walker, East Conemaugh, $1,625.

G. W. Bickford to Ann Bickford, East Conemaugh, $1.

John Beers et ux. to Harvey C. Small, Reade, $30.

V. S. Barker et al. to John T. Davis, Ebensburg, $500.

V. S. Barker et al. to Titian J. Coffey et al. Ebensburg, $2,000.

Blacklick Land & Improvement company to A. V. Barker, Vintondale, $388.

Blacklick Land & Improvement company to Theodore H. Bechtel, Vintondale $600.

Blacklick Land & Improvement company to Warren Delano, Jr., Vintondale, $150.

Blacklick Land & Improvement company to Warren Delano, Jr., Vintondale, $1,200.

Cambria Iron company to Daniel Richards, Westmont, $600.

J. W. Conrad et ux. to Joseph A. Gray, assignee, Clearfield, $1.

John T. Davis to V. S. Barker et al., Ebensburg, $500.

Mary Ann Daugherty et vir to Albert Eckenrode, Cresson, $100.

John A. Grafe et ux. to Seventeenth-Ward Fire company, Johnstown, $2,000.

George M. Hershberger et ux. to Samuel W. Pearce, Johnstown, $1.

Jacob Hollaher et ux. to August Shecofsky, Gallitzin, $80.

Samuel Harrison et ux. to Nancy Fyock, Stonycreek, $500.

Mary E. Johnson et ux. to Mary Mishler, Roxbury, $550.

Alexander Long, Jr., et ux. to Lewis Mendlestein, Adams, $400.

John Leahey et ux. to Washington township, school district, Washington, $101.

Peter J. Lagman et ux. Henry D. Smith, Adams, $1,200.

Elizabeth Milsom et vir to Alice Knapper, Portage, $100.

John Metzler et ux. to Ann Catharine Hiedensfelder, Stonycreek, $800.

S. W. Miller to Ann Elizabeth Miller, Portage, $700.

Fannie Parks et vir to Martin S. Miller, Johnstown, $300.

Samuel W. Pearce to George M. Harshberger, Johnstown, $20.

David H. Rorabaugh et ux. to David Rorabaugh, East Conemaugh, $1,300.

Henry Reynolds et ux. to W. S. Ake, Croyle, $142.

W. Horace Rose et ux. to John V. Schaffer, Johnstown, $350.

D. F. Shaffer et ux. to Ann Bickford, East Conemaugh, $1.

George J. Schwaderer et ux. to Albert Eckenrode, Cresson, $100.

Executors of Philip Stoltz to Isaac Weakland, Carroll, $2,700.

Paul Strittmatter et ux. to William N. Biller, Clearfield, $525.

Samuel S. Stutzman et ux. to Daniel Stutzman et ux., West Taylor, $162.

Margaret Thomas to George H. Thomas, South Fork, $500.

James Valallay et ux. to Agnes Vallay, Barnesboro, $1.

Executors of Rev. Thomas Van Scoyoc to Lizzie McCartney, Reade, $136.

Walter J. Weaklen to Paul H. Biller, Patton, $1,350.

W. D. Bigler et al. to Thomas Barnes, Susquehanna, $18,703.

John F. Dowling to Herman Baumer, assignee, Johnstown, $1.

Walter J. Dowling et ux to Herman Baumer, assignee, Johnstown, $1.

Mary Stewart et vir to Rose Adelsberger, Cresson, $1.

James Perry et ux. to Franie Feicht, Clearfield $800.

Jacob M. Miller et ux. to Leah Weaver, Dale, $1,200.

Benjamin Bradley to Elizabeth Bradley, Gallitzin, $100.

Solomon Charles to Nelson Charles, Chest Springs, $1.

James A. Ivory et ux. to Wilfred J. Ivory, Clearfield, $1,500.

Thomas McNeill et ux. to Charles Drass, Gallitzin, $25.

Charles Drass et ux. to Christian J. Buck, Gallitzin, $525.

Paul Short et ux. to L. A. Sharbaugh, Patton, $125.

Thomas Barnes et al. to Michael O'Leary, Barnesboro, $175.

Jeremiah S. Hornet et ux. to the Wilmore Coal company, Adams, $3,293.

Simon Fisher, to Joseph Fisher, Munster, $120.

Is Mickey Smith About?

Recently Prothonotary Darby received a communication from Nelson Pyle, of Scottdale, Pa., asking if there was a standing reward for the capture of Mickey Smith, who escaped from the jail in this place on the 30th day of August, 1884.

After the escape of Mickey Smith the county commissioners offered a reward of $1,000 for his capture on or before the 1st of January 1885, but as the time has long since elapsed, there is now no reward for his capture.

Mickey Smith, on the 25th of August, 1883, in resisting arrest shot and killed John Minahan in Cambria City. He was tried, convicted, and sentenced to be hung on the 23rd of September, 1884, but escaped on Saturday night August 30th, 1884, and since then has found it healthy to be absent.

Destroyed by Fire.

The barn of E. E. Work, of East Mahoning was struck by lightning on Saturday afternoon and was totally destroyed, with all its contents. It was one of the oldest structures in this part of the county. Mr. Work had no insurance on the building or contents.

Later intelligence says that the threshers were there that day and a storm coming, they stopped the machine and the men were loitering in the barn when the building was struck. Frank and James Moore were somewhat stunned by the lightning, but not seriously injured. The men by quick work got the horses and thresher out of the building, but all the other contents were destroyed.—*Indiana Messenger.*

Killed by Lightning.

Mrs. Ellie Yeager, wife of Benjamin Yeager of Altoona, was struck by lightning on Tuesday afternoon while visiting at the house of a neighbor, Mrs. William Streightiff. Mrs. Yeager was sitting on a chair doing some sewing and when the storm came leaned back with her head against the wall, near an unused gas pipe, when the stroke of lightning hit the house. She was instantly killed, while Mrs. Streightiff was only slightly shocked. The unfortunate woman was twenty-five years of age, and was married to Mr. Yeager the 24th of last May. Several other houses in and about Altoona were struck by the electric current, but no great damage was done in any one case.

Obituary.

WALTERS.—Died at his home in White township, on Wednesday September 4th, 1895, Mr. Christian Walters, in the 62 year of his age.

The deceased was a son of the late George Walters, one of the early settlers of White township, and was born on the old homestead on the 12th day of April 1834. In 1859 he was married to Miss Margaret Figart, who, with one son, survives him.

The deceased was one of the best known citizens of that vicinity and was highly respected and esteemed by all who knew him.

Miscellaneous Notices.

ONE new Champion Mowing Machine for sale cheap at Dutton's 7.14

A FEW bundles of Manilla Binding Twine, 5 cents a pound at Dutton's. may3.

A GOOD lot Copper Kettles (30 to 40 gallons) and Apple Pealers just received at G. HUNTLEY'S. sep6.4t

FOR RENT.—A new room nicely furnished and suitable for almost any kind of business. Formerly used as an ice cream parlor. Inquire of M. D. BEAKER. sep6

WANTED.—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Address 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa. mch22

A FINE line of Single and Double-Barrel Shot Guns, Winchester Rifles, Revolvers, Powder, Shot, Shells, etc., just received at G. HUNTLEY'S. sep6.4t

LOCAL MANAGERS.—$50 per month salary and expenses; no canvassing; particulars free. (Men or women.) The National Company, 501 Ferguson Block, Pittsburg, Pa. sep6.2t

A MACKINTOSH Coat was lost on Tuesday of last week between Ebensburg and Loretto. The finder will please leave it at White's Mill or at the FREEMAN office in Ebensburg.

WANTED—A reliable man to represent a loan institution in Cambria county Money loaned in sums of $100 to $10,000. For particulars apply to W. M. DAVIS, Coalport, Pa. mch29tf.

FOR SALE The McIlonald homestead, 14 rooms, with cellar. A fine summer residence. Apply to DR. J. A. DOERNER, may17 Cumberland, Md.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the council chamber, Ebensburg, on the fourth Monday in September, $1,000.00. THOS. DAVIS, President. LESTER LARIMER, Secretary.

OPENING of the Oyster Season at McBreen's. The Oyster season will be opened up at McBreen's Restaurant, Ebensburg, on Tuesday evening next, when the finest fresh Oysters in the market can be had to order, stewed, fried or raw. McBreen always keeps the finest oysters, and will continue to do so the coming season. 8 30

ASSIGNEE'S SALE!

BY virtue of an *alias* order issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the storeroom of J. W. Sharbaugh, in the borough of Carrolltown, on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28, 1895,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., the following valuable real estate, to wit:

No. 1.—A lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Carrolltown, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, fronting 54 feet on Main street, and extending back 150 feet along Carroll street to an alley, having thereon erected a TWO-STORY FRAME STORE ROOM 25 by 80 feet, with an additional ware-room 25 by 46 feet, and a TWO-STORY DWELLING HOUSE attached to said store-room.

No. 2. A lot of ground situate in Carrolltown borough, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, fronting 50 feet on Main street, and extending back 150 feet to an alley, bounded on the north by lot of Mrs. Siberia, and on the south by No. 1, having thereon erected a TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING 28 by 30 feet, and necessary outbuildings.

No. 3.—A lot of ground situate in the borough of Carrolltown, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, fronting 25 feet on Carroll street on the south and extending back 100 feet to an alley, and lot on which it is erected the Borough Council Chamber on the east, and an alley on the west, having erected a LARGE WAGON SHED.

No. 4. A lot of Ground situate in the borough of Carrolltown, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, fronting 50 feet on alley, and extending back 104 feet; Waltz property on the north, lot of H. E. Bender on the east, and an alley on the south, having thereon erected a LIVERY STABLE, 42 by 65 feet now occupied by E. W. Sharbaugh.

No. 5.—A lot of ground in the borough of Carrolltown, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, fronting 50 feet on Carroll street and extending back 100 feet to an alley, having lot of Catharine McAnulty on the east, and lot on which the Borough Council Chamber on the west, and having thereon erected a LARGE STABLE.

No. 6.—A lot ground in the borough of Carrolltown, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, fronting 50 feet on Lehmier street, and extending back 100 feet to No. 4, bounded on the north by the Waltz property, and on the south by lot of H. E. Bender

No 7.—All that certain piece of ground in the borough of Carrolltown, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, bounded as follows: Beginning at a post on alley, thence south 86½ degrees east 17¾ perches to a post and corner of lot formerly of John Wetsel; thence south 3½ degrees west by land formerly of John Wetsel 283½ perches to a post corner of lot of John E. Mancher; thence north 86½ degrees west 17¾ perches to lot of Lawrence Schroth to a post on alley; thence north 3½ degrees east along said alley 283½ perches to a post and place of beginning, containing FOUR ACRES and allowance.

No. 8.—All the undivided half interest of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the borough of Patton, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, beginning at a post, thence by land of Paul Short south 80 degrees east 670 feet to a post; thence by the Cambria & Clearfield railroad south 6½ degrees west 420 feet to a post, thence by land of John Overterger north 65 degrees east 876 feet to a post; thence by the public road from Carrolltown to Patton north 25 degrees east 483½ feet to a post; thence by land of Joseph Gauntner south 65 degrees east 150 feet to a post; thence by same land north 80 degrees west 76 feet to the place of beginning, containing 4 ACRES AND 139 PERCHES Reserving and excepting, however, out of the said land a strip of ground sold and conveyed by John W. Sharbaugh et ux and Helena Mellon to the Cambria & Clearfield Railroad Company.

No. 9—A l the coal in, under and upon all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Carrolltownship, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post at corner of land of heirs of Vincent Bloomfield; thence along said land and land of John Feicht north 2 degrees east 166 perches to a post at line of F. G. Snyder; thence by said land south 87½ degrees east 26½ perches to land of (formerly) W. E. Peterson; thence by said land south 1 degree west 166 perches to a post; thence north 88 degrees west 26 3-10 perches to a post and place of beginning, containing 17 ACRES, more or less. Reserving unto Wm. D. McAnulty, his heirs and assigns the right to bore for oil, or to mine for the minerals through the said coal: also, the parties reserve the right to mine coal for domestic purposes for themselves, and their heirs, free of charge, together with the right to enter, mine and take away all the coal, and to make such openings, shafts, chutes and dumps, improvements roads and railroads on the land as in the judgment of the party of the second part, his heirs or assigns, may be necessary to conveniently mine the same, and transport such coal and other freight through and over said lands free of charge, hindrance or litigation.

TERMS OF SALE:

Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid in hand at the time of sale; the balance of one-third at the confirmation of sale; one-third in six months, and one third in twelve months from confirmation of sale. Deferred payments bear interest and to be secured by the judgment bond of the purchaser.

C. A. SHARABAUGH,
Sept. 6, 1895. Assignee of J. W. Sharbaugh.

SILVEUS & CARTER, Attorneys at Law, 190 Fourth Ave., Pittsburg.—In re petition of Albion Weigel for satisfaction of mortgage, No. 24, October term, 1895, Common Pleas Court No 2, Allegheny county, Pa.: To all parties whom it may concern: Take notice that at the above number and term Albion Weigel presented his petition to the said court, stating that he was the owner of a lot of ground situate in the borough of Homestead, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: All that certain lot or parcel of ground situate in the borough of Homestead, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, being marked and numbered as lot No. 40, in H. M. Kennedy's sub-division of lots Nos. 783, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of the Homestead Bank and Life Insurance Company's plan, as recorded in Plan Book Vol. 5, pages 208-1, which sub-division is recorded in Plan Book Vol. 6, page 229 in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny county, and beginning on the northerly side of Fifteenth avenue, at the distance of 247 99-100 feet westwardly from the western line of S ...ran street; thence westwardly along Fifteenth avenue 25 feet to the dividing line between lots Nos. 40 and 41; thence northwardly along said dividing line 110 feet to southerly side of Pine alley; thence eastwardly along said alley and parallel with Fifteenth avenue 25 feet to the dividing line between lots Nos. 39 and 40, thence southwardly along said dividing line 110 feet to Fifteenth avenue, at the place of beginning. See deed recorded in Deed Book Vol. 542, page 432, etc., Recorder's Office, Allegheny county, Pa. That there is a mortgage upon said property made by Albion Weight to the Freehold Bank of Pittsburg Pa., dated August 9, 1886, and recorded the same day in Mortgage Book Vol. 379, page 133, etc., for $150.00 payable in three equal annua. installments from the date thereof. That on August 25, 1888, he paid to the said Freehold Bank, Pittsburg, Pa., $100.00 of the principal of said mortgage and all interest due thereon until August 9, 1888, at which date said bank, by its cashier, assigned the balance of said mortgage to J. F. Hall, as appears by reference to margin of the record of said mortgage. That the said J. F. Hall is now deceased, having died in Cambria county, Pa; that no administration has been raised on his estate and the whereabouts of his heirs or next of kin are unknown to the petitioner. That the balance due on said mortgage was paid to said J. F. Hall in his lifetime and that the mortgage remains unsatisfied upon the record, and asking the Court to direct that satisfaction be entered by the Recorder of Allegheny county, Pa., whereupon a rule was granted upon all parties in interest to show cause why same should not be done, returnable to next term. You are hereby notified and required to appear at the next term of said Court and answer the petition aforesaid.

JAMES P. RICHARDS,
Sept. 6, 1895 4t Sheriff of Allegheny county, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Philip Noel, deceased.
Letters of administration on the estate of Philip Noel, d ceased, late of Munster township, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, having been granted to me, all parties indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.
Look Box 342.
Altoona, Pa., Sept. 6, 1895.X V. H. NOEL.

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DEFENDER CRIPPLED.

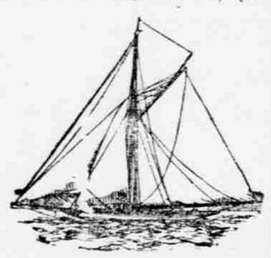
Valkyrie III Fouled Her and Won the Race.

SHE WON BY ONLY 47 SECONDS.

The American Yacht Though Badly Crippled Almost Caught Her Opponent Before the Race Was Ended—A Protest Filed By the Defender's Commander.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Crippled but still heeling far over in her strength and swiftness Defender followed Valkyrie across the finish line in the second race of the series. Less than half a mile separated the two, and anxious eyes kept pace, second by second, with the time indicators as they moved around, and when it was seen that the American Defender had not only lost nothing in the last 20 miles of the course, but had actually gained, a great shout went up for the gallant struggle a gallant vessel had made. There were cheers for the victor, too, although Valkyrie III was the first challenger since '71 to lead over the home line. It was a grievous accident that ruined the Yankee boat's chances—an accident which under the hair-splitting circumstances of jockeying at the starting line looked to be unavoidable.

Captain Hank Haff had made a record in seamanship on Saturday, and the English skipper prepared to regain the fame which had preceded him. They manœuvred swiftly after the prepara



VALKYRIE III.

tory gun had been fired, and with Valkyrie to the windward, Captain Haff made every effort to gain that position. Just before reaching the line, when Valkyrie was still to windward and Defender to leeward, a length astern, but still overhauling her, the American boat was blanketed so much that her baby jib topsail and jib shook. Captain Haff seeing this, luffed up a little, evidently intending to let the other boat go ahead, for the purpose of enabling him to pass under her stern, and to windward. Captain Sycamore, at Valkyrie's tiller, noted this move, and luffed up also. It was then that the thousands of watchers on the surrounding boats noticed how dangerously close to each other the racers were. And just at that moment, too, a snap, and a rending sound was heard, and it was seen that Defender's jib topsail was flying loose in the wind. Valkyrie's main boom had swung around and struck Defender's topmast backstay.

To those who had witnessed the accident and sprang forward at the ominous sound, it seemed as though Defender trembled with the shock. They saw her top-mast bend and her top-sail swing over, as though it would break away, and a groan went up as though the brave boat, which had won so noble a victory a few days before, was wholly debarred from even an effort to secure a second. Lightning action was necessary to save the top-mast from breaking away completely, for it was already sprung from its fastenings, and Captain Haff, with a master stroke, taking his boat down to leeward, soon manœuvred her into a safe position and gave chase. Valkyrie, which had crossed the line first had gained a good lead by Defender's disaster, and had probably a little more than half a mile advantage at the end of the first leg in the triangular course over which they sailed. Her gain was something less than four minutes in that beat to windward. From that on, however, Defender, while not perceptibly closing the gap between them, lessened the time, and they crossed the line not more than two minutes apart. Valkyrie, according to correct time however, wins from the cup defender by just 47 seconds.

Valkyrie's lead, and her better position was not much improved during the first leg. Valkyrie did excellent work, but Defender going just as her mishap left her, clung to her rival. The course was down the Jersey coast, and nautical experts aboard some of the boats, critically observing Defender's progress, expressed themselves as believing she was merely following the Englishman over the course without attempting to race. This belief was strengthened by the fact that directly after the fouling at the line a protest flag was run up with a vigor that denoted determination on the part of the American commander.

But Defender was in for a race, and during the progress of the first few miles sufficient repairs were made to enable her to set a baby jib top-sail after rounding the first buoy. In the beat to windward the watches marked Valkyrie 3 minutes and 52 seconds in advance of Defender.

The second leg was expected to try the nerves of those who had set their hearts on victory for the cup defender, for her little jib top-sail looked like a speck compared with the great bellying balloon jib top-sail set by Valkyrie, which was drawing tremendously. But the second ten miles was a veritable victory for the Yankee. She gained slowly, but she gained steadily, and, turning the second mark not far behind her rival, she now had a better chance by long odds to win than a few miles back in the tourney.

The last leg was a run home with the wind abeam and there was a rush of steamers in the direction of the lightship. Towards the end it was evident that the gap was closing, and Valkyrie had scarcely crossed the line and got out of the way when Defender came tearing at it like a thoroughbred under the wire. She must have put on an extra burst of speed to gratify those who had kept their eyes on her while canvas on, for she was well on her side with the force of the driving breeze, as a roar of whistles and a volley of cheers and cannonading gave her adoration for the struggle.

It was feared that after the Defender's mishap the contest would prove so unequal as to lose its interest. But it was this very accident that gave the Englishman a fighting chance against Defender. With a strong breeze and a high sea for the third series, Valkyrie may do better. If the cup committee accepts the protest made by the Defender's commander, the race may have to be resailed.

The statement is made that Lord Dunraven has offered a pension of 30 shillings weekly to every member of the crew of Valkyrie should they succeed in winning America's cup. The ages of the 26 men will average 30 years. They are all strong and healthy and their expectations of life may be set as 70 years. In that time if the expectation be realized, they will have received £3,120, or $15,600, and in the aggregate £82,160, or $400,600.

Shot Himself and Sweetheart.

TELURIDE, Colo., Sept. 11.—Eugene Wilson, colored, has shot his paramour, Lydia Williams, twice and then shot himself in the head, dying instantly. The woman will recover. Jealousy was the cause.

THE ARREST OF BUSTAMENTE.

Salvador Not Thought to Have Exceeded Her Authority In the Seizure.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Although no official report of the forcible seizure on board an American steamer of Florencio Bustamente by the Salvadorean officers at La Libertad has reached Washington it is believed here from the presentation of facts made in the report that the seizure was lawfully made and that the United States cannot make an international claim in this case.

A San Francisco special says: The steamer City of Sydney, from Panama, has brought particulars of the capture of Florencio Bustamento, one of Antonio Exeta's favorite lieutenants, by the Salvador authorities. It is supposed by the Spanish-Americans who came upon the City of Sydney that he has been torn to pieces by an infuriated mob or publicly shot in the streets of the city of San Salvador long before this. The arrest of Bustamento while aboard an American ship is said to be in direct violation of international law.

A Collision at Sea.

FLUSHING, Holland, Sept. 11.—The Spanish steamer Manila, bound for China, and the Norwegian steamer Xania, bound for Antwerp, have collided near Borsselin. The Xania sank soon afterwards and six of those on board were drowned, including the captain. The Manila was badly damaged.

Throat Cut by an Unknown.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 11.—Moses O Nelson, a sawmill man, has been brought to the city hospital here from Clayton, Miss., with his throat cut from ear to ear and unable to speak, though conscious. He was put on the train at Clayton, but by whom is not known, nor does anybody here know how he got his wound. He will probably die.

Aristocratic Lady Sentenced.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Lady Rose Gunning, widow of the Rev. Henry Gunning Bart, and daughter of the Rev. Hon. William Henry Spencer, who was arrested in this city on July 25 upon an extradition warrant, has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment at hard labor for the forgery of her father's name to certain deeds.

Decapitated In a Quarrel

MOREHEAD, Ky., Sept. 11.—About six miles from Hogtown a quarrel arose between Drem McDaniel and members of the Atkins family, in which knives, clubs, pistols and axes were used as weapons. When the fight was over Drem McDaniel was found to have been decapitated. Lewd women are said to have been at the bottom of the trouble.

Two Emperors Were There.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—Emperor William and Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria and other royal guests attended the army manœuvres at Stettin. The manœuvres were a realistic representation of a battle which lasted several hours. A balloon corps performed the signal service for the day.

Jealousy Causes a Double Tragedy.

DENVER, Sept. 11.—William Rose, an undertaker's assistant, has shot and mortally wounded Mrs. Philip Kuhn. Though closely pursued by a crowd he managed to reload his revolver and shot himself, inflicting a mortal wound. Jealousy was the cause.

Recruiting to Fight Alfaro.

COLON, Sept. 11.—The remnant of the Ecnadorean government is fleeing from Quito toward the boundary of Colombia. There, it is reported, agents of the late government are enlisting men to take the field against President Alfaro.

BAND OF MASKED HOODLUMS

They Shoot Down Inoffensive Negro Workmen In Florida.

WESTVILLE, Fla., Sept. 11.—Two negroes have been shot to death and several wounded by a band of masked men in the northern portion of Holmes county. The tragedy occurred near a large sawmill which is owned by Graves & Beatty. The firm employs many negroes and operates a short rail road from the sawmill to the Choctawhatche river.

A freight car had been fitted up with bunks, and within this about 30 negroes sleep. The car in which the negroes were sleeping was surrounded by masked men, who immediately opened fire with Winchesters. The shots and the screams of the negroes brought Graves, Beatty and a number of white employes who live near the scene and the masked men fled. It is thought that the attack was instigated by white men who had been discharged by the owners of the plant.

United American Mechanics' Council.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—The forty-ninth annual meeting of the National Council of United American Mechanics is in session in Independence hall, delegates being present from all sections of the country. The delegates were welcomed by the mayor, and after a response by National Councilor W. N. Simons, the convention went into secret session. Ten thousand men were in line in the parade.

Killed by a Gas Explosion.

BRADFORD, Pa., Sept. 11.—While John H. Seely, an employe of the United Natural Gas company at Shingle House, was turning the gas from a well on the Coon farm into a gas tank a few feet distant, a terrific explosion occurred. Seely's dead body was found ten feet away horribly mangled. The The derrick of the well and the gas tank were blown to atoms.

Beware of Such Schemes.

ATLANTA, Sept. 11. — The Cotton States and International exposition authorities are being deluged with letters indicating that certain firms in the east are advertising to give information and sell round trip tickets upon prepayment of a considerable sum of money. The exposition officials declare these schemes to be fakes.

HE WANTS A NEW SUIT.

A Prisoner Tears Up His Clothes and Demands a New Outfit.

HUNTINGTON, W Va., Sept 11.—When the police locked up Charles Jones, a one-legged man, who claims Virginia as his home, and who was drunk on the street, he astonished the officers by tearing his clothing into shreds before their eyes and saying that they could now keep him in prison until they got him a suit.

It is thought that the man is insane.

Preacher Kills His Son-In-Law.

ALBANY, Ga., Sept. 11.—Rev. Daniel Griffin, a well-known divine, has shot and killed his son-in-law, Robert Dudley. Griffin got into an altercation with Ben Smalls, and Dudley undertook to act as peacemaker. Griffin warned him not to interfere, but Dudley kept on, and then Griffin deliberately shot him dead.

Robber Crowe Surrendered.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 11.—Patrick Crowe has been surrendered by the authorities upon a requisition from the Governor of Missouri. He was identified as the prisoner who escaped from the jail at St. Joseph, Mo., where he had been placed for train robbery.

Treasury Officials Not Worried.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Only $150,000 in gold has been withdrawn from the New York sub-treasury, which leaves the true amount of the gold reserve $97,544,666. Treasury officials show no uneasiness on account of the depletion of the reserve.

A Bell to Girdle the Globe.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—The Columbian Liberty Bell will start on its trip around the world on Friday morning at 8 o'clock. It will first go to the Atlanta exposition to remain two months.

G. A. R. PARADE TODAY.

55,000 Veterans Now In Line at Louisville.

WALKER MAY SUCCEED LAWLER.

A Lively Fight on For Senior Vice Commander—St. Paul, Denver and Buffalo Hustling For the Encampment Next Year—Reception Last Night.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 11.—The grand parade of the G. A. R. veterans is taking place today. It is estimated that there are 55,000 men in line. The parade is being reviewed by Commander-in-Chief Lawler and staff and the governors of several states. Ned, the famous old warhorse from Pennsylvania, is riding in the parade in a float, as he gave out in the parade at Pittsburg last year.

There was a reception by the Woman's Relief corps last night to Commander Lawler and staff. Thousands of old soldiers, both of the blue and of the gray, attended. The reception began at 9 o'clock, and for two hours veterans, blue and gray, and their wives paid their respects to the receiving party. It is estimated by veterans who have attended every annual encampment since the Grand Army was organized that the reception surpassed anything of the kind ever held in its honor. It is claimed that 10,000 people passed through the Galt House, where the reception was held.

Senior Vice-Commander Burchfield and the members of the executive council of the national encampment at Pittsburg last year have arrived on a special train in charge of Colonel Sam Moody, assistant general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines. In recognition of the courtesies extended the Louisville workers at Pittsburg last year, Commander Burchfield and his 20 associates from Pittsburg and the members of the Louisville executive council were tendered a banquet here by the citizens at the Fendennis club.

Governor McKinley of Ohio arrived today.

Just now there is a vast amount of talk as to who will be the next commander-in-chief. There are a number of aspirants, but none of the candidates have developed sufficient strength to warrant a prediction as to who the fortunate man will be. There is a good deal of talk, however, to the effect that Colonel W. Walker of Indianapolis should be elected. Another prominent candidate is Thaddeus A. Clark, son of Nebraska. General C. H. Schute of New Orleans has also been mentioned.

There promises to be a lively scrimmage over the office of senior vice commander. General E. H. Hobson of Greensburg, Ky., and Captain Michael Minton of this city are candidates for the place, and the friends of each are working hard.

The fight for the honor of entertaining the veterans in 1896 has practically narrowed down to St. Paul, Denver and Buffalo. Now and then a word is heard of Syracuse, Ocean Beach, Baltimore and Cincinnati, but the great fight is between the three cities first named.

An interesting feature of the encampment was the parade of the Naval Veterans' association. There were fully 16,000 men in line. Of course they were not all veterans of Uncle Sam's war navy. But these veterans of the navy were the center of attraction, and as the grizzled and gray old heroes passed through the streets they were greeted by patriotic cheers from the throats of the tens of thousands of citizens on the sidewalks, from the windows and housetops.

The Naval Veterans' association has elected the following officers: Rear admiral, Samuel Wilman, New York, commodore, E. C. Farquhar, Zanesville, O.; captain, George Fritzchner, Louisville; commander, W. J. Ferguson, Philadelphia; lieutenant commander, E. D. Bliss, Brooklyn; senior lieutenant, D. B. Ungay, Rockford, Ills.; junior lieutenant, James Stanley New York; fleet surgeon, Thomas G. Henos, Cincinnati; paymaster, E. F. Duston, Providence; fleet engineer G. L. Seavy, Chicago; judge advocate general, Charles Cawley, Chicago; chaplain, Rev. A. S. McWilliams, Detroit.

Indiana Town Swept by Fire

PIERCETON, Ind., Sept. 11.—A fire which originated in the postoffice has destroyed the entire business portion of the town besides a number of residences.

The Celebration at Erie.

ERIE, Pa., Sept. 11.—The first day's celebration of Erie's centennial was the grandest series of events ever witnessed in this city. The day was very fine and the first event was the grand Sunday school parade, participated in by 7,000 children. The cornerstone of the free library on the grounds given by Mrs. Myron Sanford was laid by Rt. Worshipful Grand Master of Masons of Pennsylvania. A mass of 20,000 or 30,000 people gathered at the parks and heard the programme.

Deadly Work of Lightning.

ALTOONA, Pa., Sept. 11.—While a heavy storm was in progress here, Mrs. Benjamin Yeager was struck by lightning and instantly killed. A Methodist church was also struck and badly wrecked.

M. P. Conference Closes

PITTSBURG, Sept. 11.—The annual conference of the Methodist Protestant church concluded its sessions yesterday. Ministers were assigned to the different charges.

New Yorker Arrested In Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Jacob Sandek, a New York business man, has been arrested here at the request of the New York police department. He is charged with misappropriation of funds.

A Theatrical Man Suicides.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 11.—William Palmer, traveling manager of the Trilby company now showing in this city, has committed suicide in a room of the Southern hotel.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

A constitutional convention is being held in Columbia, S. C.

William Wood was ambushed and killed near Union City, Tenn.

Elk City, Kan., is under water from the recent severe rain storm.

The Grand Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, is in session at St. Louis.

Seven persons were held in bail in Camden, N. J., charged with being fortune tellers.

Life Guards Lindsay and Jones had a narrow escape from drowning at Atlantic City.

Thomas Westmoreland, the Texas homicide, was pardoned by President Cleveland.

Mrs. Pitezel has identified Howard Pitezel's coat found in Indianapolis where the body was found.

Cuban advices report that Puerto Principe has fallen to the insurgent forces and that fierce battles are fought daily.

The cases of Miss Flagler and Absconder Howgate will come up at the fall term of the district court in Washington.

Important results for the Irish cause are expected to flow from the convention of Irishmen announced for Chicago, September 24, 25 and 26.

Comptroller Bowler has received a telegram from Senator Manderson, counsel for the Oxnard Sugar company, giving notice that he would file an appeal to the secretary on the question of the comptroller's jurisdiction.

Reports have been received from eye witnesses and survivors of the Ku Cheng missionary massacres in China. The affair is said to have been done with the knowledge, though not the active participation, of the local authorities.

OHIO REPUBLICANS.

Their Campaign Opened by Sherman, McKinley, Foraker and Others.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Sept. 11.—The opening of the Republican state campaign here was a great success. It is estimated that about 50,000 strangers were in the city. The streets were nearly impassable. Senator Sherman, Governor McKinley, General Jones, Chairman Kurtz and delegations from Columbus and the northern part of the state and ex-Governor Foraker and delegations from Cincinnati and southern Ohio arrived about the same time, and the distinguished guests were dined by General Bushnell at his home. The parade was nearly two miles long, fully 8,000 men being in line.

Chairman J. P. Goodwin of the Clark county central committee called the meeting to order at the fairgrounds. After prayer, Senator Sherman, as chairman, spoke first. General Bushnell followed Sherman, then Governor McKinley followed, then ex-Governor Foraker, and General Jones, candidate for lieutenant governor, closed the speaking.

Governor McKinley left immediately for the Grand Army of the Republic encampment at Louisville.

In his address Senator Sherman said the Republican convention at Zanesville declared its intention to do three things: Elect Bushnell and the other nominees, send Foraker to the United States senate and to support McKinley for the presidency at the next national Republican convention.

"The Republican party during 30 years of power furnished for the first time a truly American currency. It swept from the field the entire system of State bank paper and produced a national currency composed of notes issued by the United States, gradually lifted to par in gold, and notes of national banks secured by deposit in the treasury of United States bonds, so well secured that not a dollar has been lost by the holders of these notes. It has coined and maintained at par gold and silver coins amounting to $50,000,000, several times as much as were in circulation at any former period. All this beneficent policy is threatened by the Democratic party, and we have the sorry spectacle of the employment by the administration of a syndicate of foreign and domestic bankers buying bonds of the United States at less than their market value upon condition that they will protect the government of the United States from demands for gold for United States notes.

"The administration came into power by the delusive cry for reform. The alleged reform they have attempted is the repeal of the McKinley tariff and the enactment of the Wilson tariff. Its first fruit was insufficient revenue. Its most important provision was held by the supreme court to be unconstitutional. It sacrificed at one blow the sheep industry of the United States. Our Democratic friends denounced me for voting for a bill in 1883 that reduced the duty on wool from 12 to 10 cents a pound, though I had opposed the reduction, and now they are called upon to support a measure making wool duty free. When I appealed to Senator Brice, my colleague, and the other Democratic senators to prevent the injustice they said that wool was a raw material and that it was a dogma of the Democratic party that all raw materials should be admitted free of duty. Coal and iron ore are raw materials and were by the house bill admitted free, but these raw materials were being developed in the south, and by the vote of southern Democrats a protective duty was put upon them by the senate bill. But wool, chiefly the product of northern farmers, was made duty free."

After calling upon Ohio Republicans to stand by their principles in triumph as they had in adversity, Governor McKinley presented an historical sketch, showing that Ohio has established her right to be called a Republican state. He spoke particularly of the senatorial elections, saying: "From 1861 to 1869, the Republicans had two senators—Wade and Sherman. This year, 1895, we are going to resume our rightful place. Mr. Foraker will take the seat of Mr. Brice. The Ohio Republicans are united firmly and resolutely on that proposition. We intend to give Senator Sherman a Republican colleague. We have no contest among ourselves. Our contest is entirely with the Democratic party. We have but one candidate, and he enjoys the great distinction of having the endorsement of the last Republican state convention, an endorsement given without division or dissent, unanimously and enthusiastically, and the distinction is one which, so far as I can recollect, is exceptional in the history of the Republican party in Ohio. I cannot enjoin upon the people of the state too strongly or too earnestly the importance of selecting a Republican legislature, which will elect a Republican United States senator. In the present political divisions of the senate of the United States, which are extremely close, a single senator may determine the political complexion of that body for years to come.

Spain Causes His Arrest.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—At the instance of the Spanish representatives in this city, a warrant has been issued in Wilmington for the arrest of Captain H. H. Hughes, commanding the steamer Louada of the Haiti steamship line. The arrest grows out of the alleged filibustering expedition.

THE MARKETS

PITTSBURG, Sept. 10

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 67@68c; No. 2 red, 65@66c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 42½@43c; high mixed shelled, 40@41c; mixed ear, 41@42.

OATS—No. 1 white, 26½@26¾c; No. 2 do, 25½@25¾c; extra No. 3 white, 24@24½c; light mixed, 23@23½c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $15.50@15.75; No. 2 timothy, $13.75@14.00; mixed clover, $13.75@14.00; packing $7.00@7.50; No. 1 feeding prairie $6.50@10.00; wagon hay, $15.00@18.00 for timothy.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 24@25c, Ohio fancy creamery, 20@21c; fancy country roll 14@15c; low grades and cooking 10@12c.

CHEESE—Ohio, mild, new, 8@8½c, New York new, 9@9½c; limberger, new, 10@10½c; Wisconsin Swiss, 12@13c, Ohio Swiss, 11½@12c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio in cases, 13½@14c; 1c more for candled.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 65@75c per pair; live chickens, small, 40@50c; spring chickens 22@25c, as to size; dressed chickens 10@12c per pound; dressed spring chickens, 14@15c; ducks, 12@13c.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Sept. 10

CATTLE—Receipts only fair this week. About 85 cars on sale. The demand is steady and the market opened up firm with prices a shade better on good medium grades, while light grades are 15@25c higher. We quote: Prime $5.30@5.50; good $4.50@4.75; good butchers $4.10@4.40; rough fat, $3.75@4.75; bulls, cows and stags, $1.50@3.00; fresh cows and springers $15.00@40.00.

HOGS—Receipts very light today and the market opened up firm at yesterday's prices, but closed weak, with prospects of lower prices, owing to the western markets being very much lower. Prime, light and medium grades $4.70@4.75; fair Yorkers, $4.60@4.65; heavy hogs $4.50@4.60; roughs $3.00@4.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply light, with a fair demand; market slow at yesterday's prices. We quote as follows: Exports, $3.40@3.70; extra, $2.90@3.20 good, $2.50@2.80; fair, $1.00@2.40; veal calves, $6.00@6.50; heavy and thin calves, $3.00@3.00.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 10.

HOGS—Market steady at $3.75@4.50; receipts, 1,400 head; shipments, 400 head.

CATTLE—Market steady at $2.50@3.25; receipts, 600 head; shipments, 400 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep market steady at $1.00@3.75; receipts, 900 head; shipments, 1,000 head. Lambs, market steady at $2.75@4.40.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.

WHEAT—Spot market easier. No. 2 red, 63¾c; No. 1 hard, 65¾c delivered.

CORN—Spot market dull. No. 2, 38¾c.

OATS—Spot market quiet. No. 2, 28½c.

CATTLE—European cables quote American steers at 11@12c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 8¾@9c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market quiet, but steady. Sheep, poor to prime, $1.75@3.75; lambs, inferior to prime, $4.00@4.90.

HOGS—Market steady at $4.70@5.00.

HARRITY IS NEUTRAL.

Not Mixing In Judgeship Fight at Williamsport.

CONVENTION IN SESSION TODAY.

A Hot Fight Being Waged Against the Nomination of Judge McCarthy, a Present Member of the Court—Reynolds Refuses to Run.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Sept. 11.—The Democratic state convention convened here today.

The interest centers in the judicial places on the ticket, and owing to the fact that there are fully 20 candidates tonight for the places, the politicians are all at sea. The fight seems to be the country against the cities of Philadelphia and Pittsburg, with a fair prospect of the country winning. The active scramble for the judicial nomi

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nations is due to the fact that while the superior court consists of seven judges, the Republicans at their recent convention nominated only six men, so that at least one Democrat is bound to be elected.

Judge Henry J. McCarthy of Philadelphia, the present Democratic member of the court, appears to be the principal bone of contention. The Philadelphia delegation, casting 84 votes, is divided, not more than half favoring him. This fact is operating against him, and his opponents claim that he will not be nominated. The friends of ex-Judge Theodore F. Jenkins of Philadelphia are making an active canvass in his behalf.

National Chairman Harrity says he is absolutely neutral in the contest over Judge McCarthy, preferring to let the delegates fight it out among themselves.

B. F. Myers of Harrisburg will be the nominee for state treasurer. District Attorney John M. Garman of Luzerne will be permanent chairman.

A Washington special says: Assistant Secretary Reynolds of the interior department has telegraphed Chairman Wright of the Pennsylvania state Democratic committee declining to accept a nomination to the new superior court of the state.

THE VALLEY ROAD SOLD.

The B. & O. Purchased It and Paid $3,070,000.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 11.—The Valley railroad was sold here at public auction under an order issued by United States Judge Ricks. There was but one bidder the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, and the price realized was $3,070,000, being $570,000 more than the minimum figures set by the court. It is stated the road will be immediately incorporated under the laws of Ohio, with a capital stock of about $6,000,000.

The only party interested in the sale aside from the Baltimore and Ohio is the Wheeling and Lake Erie, which has an agreement under the reorganization plan whereby it gets traffic facilities which will enable it to bring a large part of its lake business to this port.

Trouble With Indians.

CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Sept. 11.—Captain Cragie, U. S. A., has arrived at Valentine from the Rosebud agency. He says that Hollow Horn Bear is inciting the Indians. The hostiles will permit no freight to be handled until the old rate is restored. The captain looks for trouble in two weeks.

Clay Short Over $14,000.

IRONTON, O., Sept. 11.—The shortage of County Treasurer M. G. Clay is $14,977.85. The county commissioners declared the office vacant and elected E. W. Schofield to succeed the removed treasurer.

A Sixth Victim Dies.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Sept. 11.—Matt Fader, of Wabasha, Minn., the sixth victim of the dynamite explosion at Specht's Ferry on Sunday, has died.

Infected by Cholera.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 11.—The province of Podolia has been officially declared infected by cholera.

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